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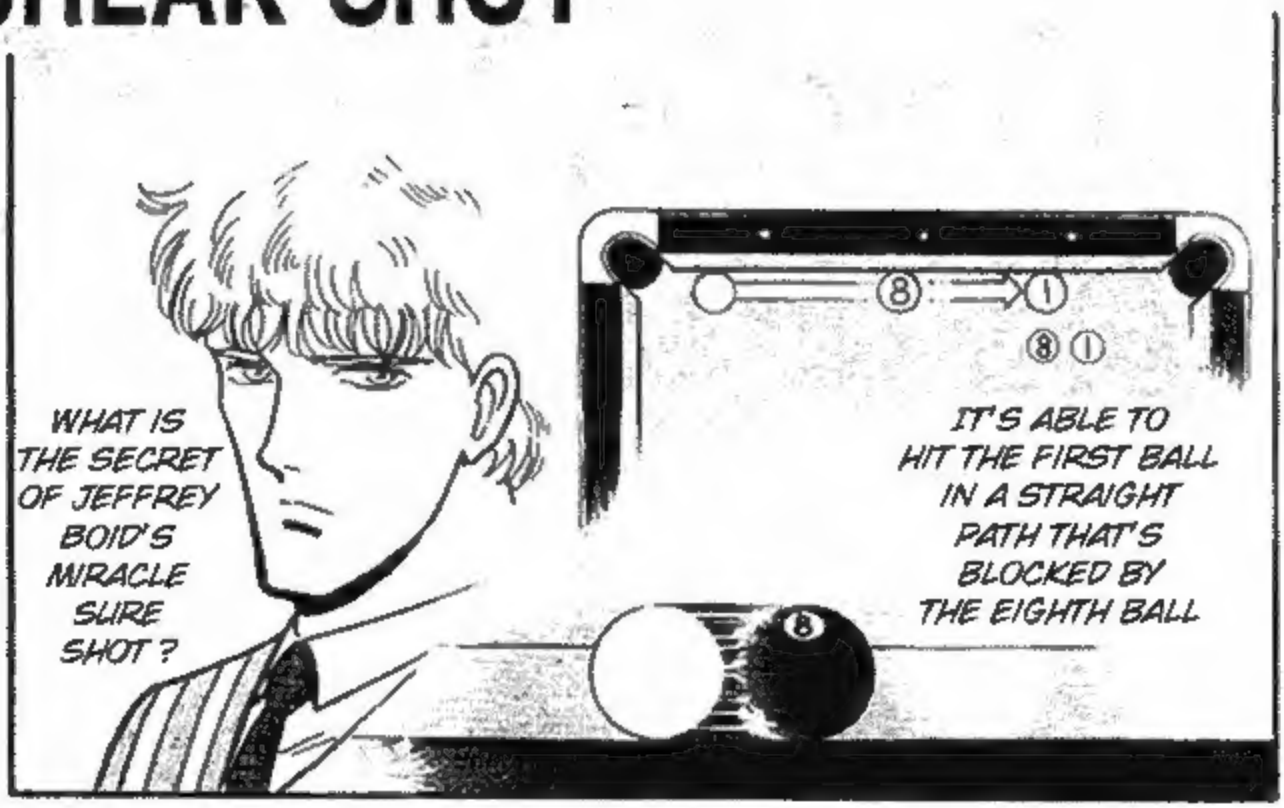
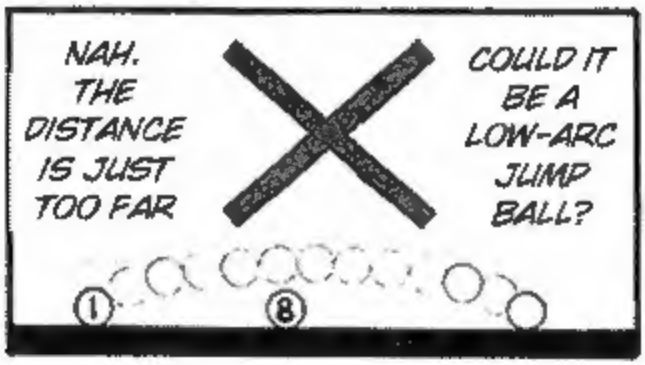
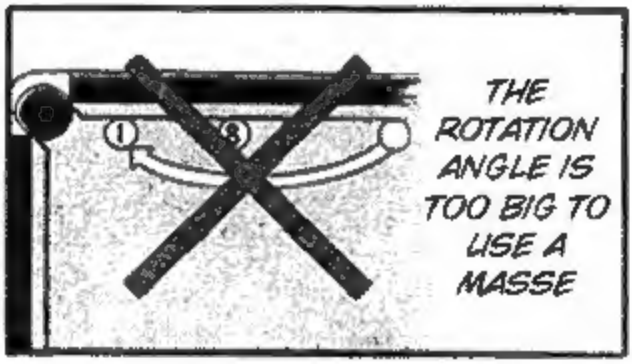
BREAK SHOT


WHAT IS THE SECRET OF JEFFREY BOID'S MIRACLE SURE SHOT ?
IT'S ABLE TO HIT THE FIRST BALL IN A STRAIGHT PATH THAT'S BLOCKED BY THE EIGHTH BALL


NAH. THE DISTANCE IS JUST TOO FAR
COULD IT BE A LOW-ARC JUMP BALL?


THE ROTATION ANGLE IS TOO BIG TO USE A MASSE

IT'S HAWAII !
LOOK
THANK YOU FOR FLYING WITH JAL

IF WHAT I'M THINKING IS CORRECT, THEN IT SHOULD'VE BEEN A FAULT!

THAT MEANS ONLY ONE WAY TO DO IT

WE'RE NOW GOING TO LAND ON THE OAHU ISLAND

JAPAN AIR LINES

JA816e

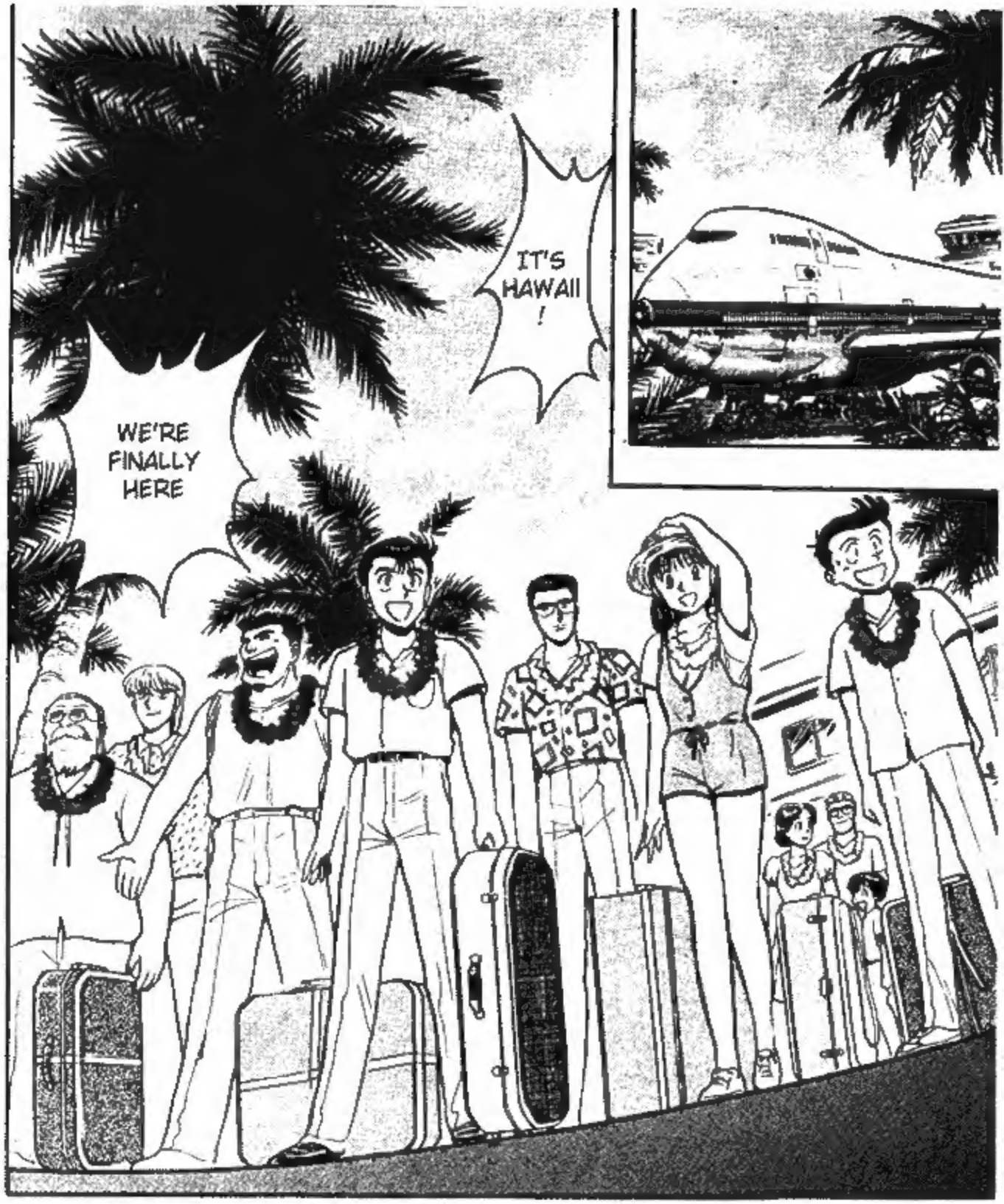
JAL

AND IN A FEW MINUTES WE'RE GOING TO LAND AT THE HONOLULU AIRPORT

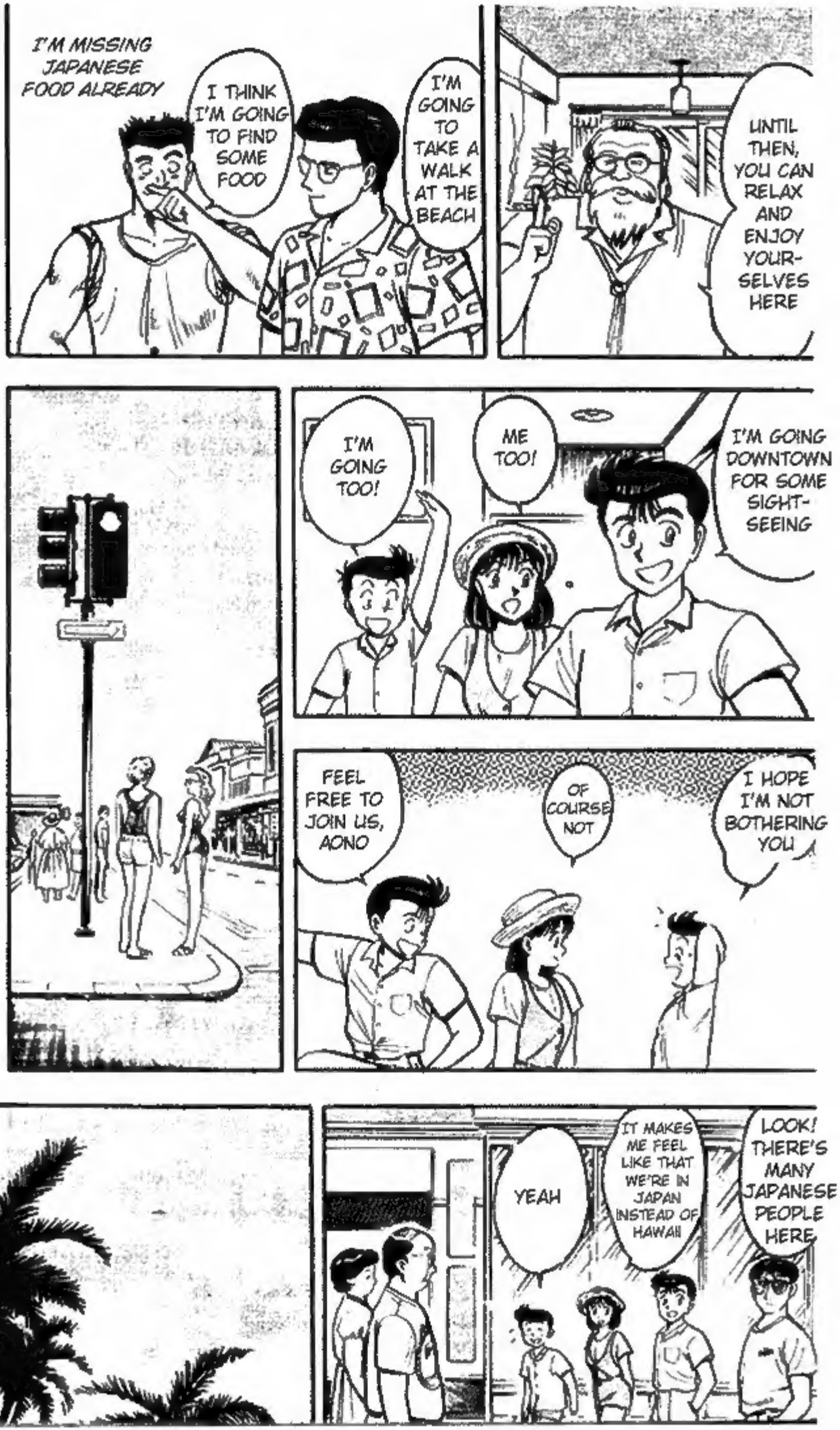
YEAH!

KIREI !

PLEASE FASTEN YOUR SEAT BELT

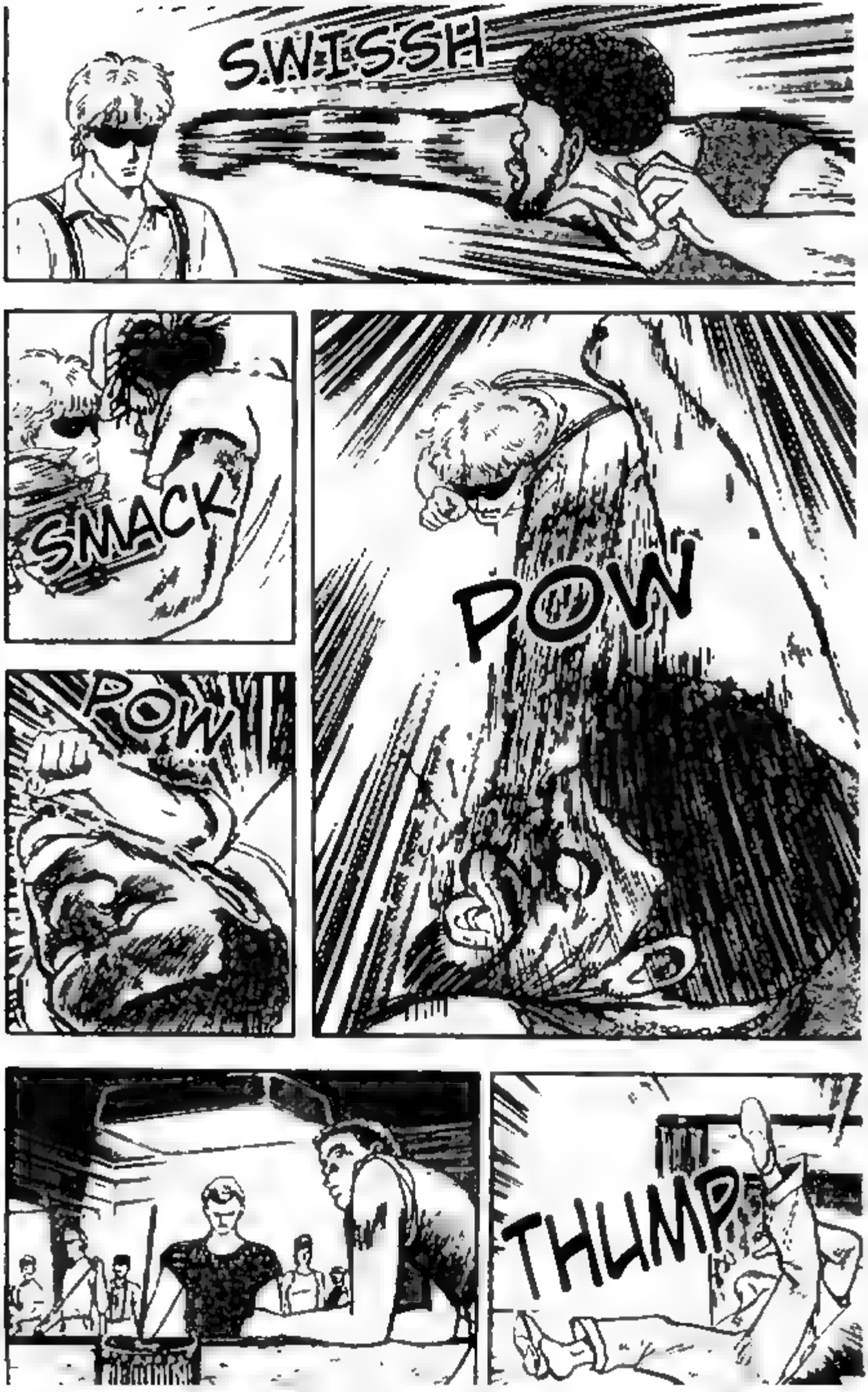

IT'S HAWAII !
WE'RE FINALLY HERE

THE OPENING CEREMONY WILL BE HELD TONIGHT


I'M MISSING JAPANESE FOOD ALREADY
I THINK I'M GOING TO FIND SOME FOOD
I'M GOING TO TAKE A WALK AT THE BEACH
UNTIL THEN, YOU CAN RELAX AND ENJOY YOUR-SELVES HERE
I'M GOING TOO!
ME TOO!
I'M GOING DOWNTOWN FOR SOME SIGHT-SEEING
FEEL FREE TO JOIN US, AONO
OF COURSE NOT
I HOPE I'M NOT BOTHERING YOU
YEAH
IT MAKES ME FEEL LIKE THAT WE'RE IN JAPAN INSTEAD OF HAWAII
LOOK! THERE'S MANY JAPANESE PEOPLE HERE

!
BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT
I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT IT
BECAUSE IT HAPPENED SO FAST, OUR EYES SEE IT AS IF THE CUE BALL IS GOING THROUGH THE EIGHTH BALL
IF THAT HAPPENS, THEN IT'S POSSIBLE FOR THE CUE BALL TO CLIMB THE EIGHT BALL
IF HE USES ENOUGH CHALK ON HIS CUE, IT MAY BE POSSIBLE TO CREAT A FLOW SHOT*
*FLOWSHOT : A BALL ROTATING WITH A HIGH AND YET CONSTANT SPEED
THAT MIRACLE SHOT IS A FAULT SHOT!
BEFORE IT HITS THE FIRST BALL, THE CUE BALL MUST'VE TOUCHED ANOTHER BALL AND THAT' S A FAULT!
THAT MEANS ..
A CLIMB-ING BALL ?
I DON'T THINK THERE'S ANY OTHER EXPLANA-TION
I THINK THAT'S POSSIBLE, CHINMI
THAT EXPLAINS HOW THE CUE BALL WENT THROUGH THE EIGHTH BALL
LET'S GO INSIDE TO TAKE A LOOK
LOOK! THERE'S A BILLIARD PLACE OVER THERE
BILLIARDS

IT'S SO DIFFERENT FROM THE ONE WE HAVE IN JAPAN
THEY'RE PLAYING FOR MONEY!
500 DOLLARS
TAKE IT!
HERE!
DON'T PAY UP
EXCUSE ME?
WHA!?
YOU CHEATERS !
IF YOU DON'T WANT TO GET HURT, THEN YOU BETTER LEAVE NOW, BOY!
I WILL... BUT AFTER I GET MY MONEY


S.W.I.S.S.H
SMACK!
POW
POW!
THUMP

THANK YOU FOR THE MONEY, GENTLEMEN

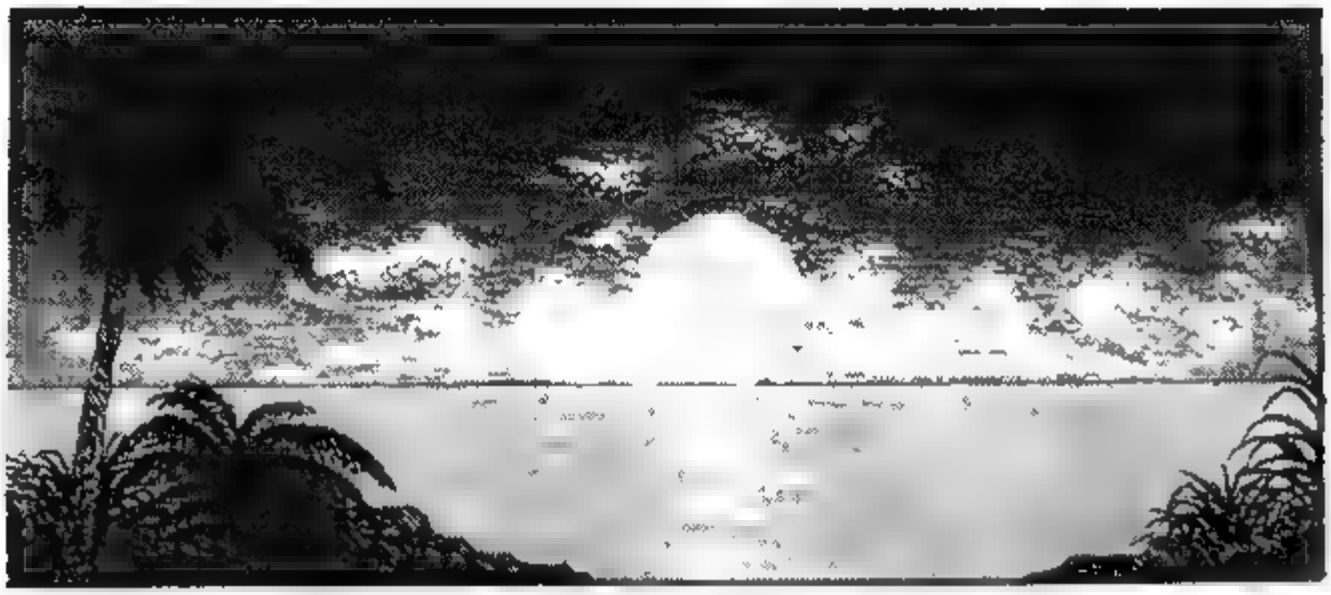
TAP TAP TAP

TAKE MY ADVICE. YOU FOREIGNERS SHOULD NEVER COME TO THIS KIND OF PLACE AGAIN

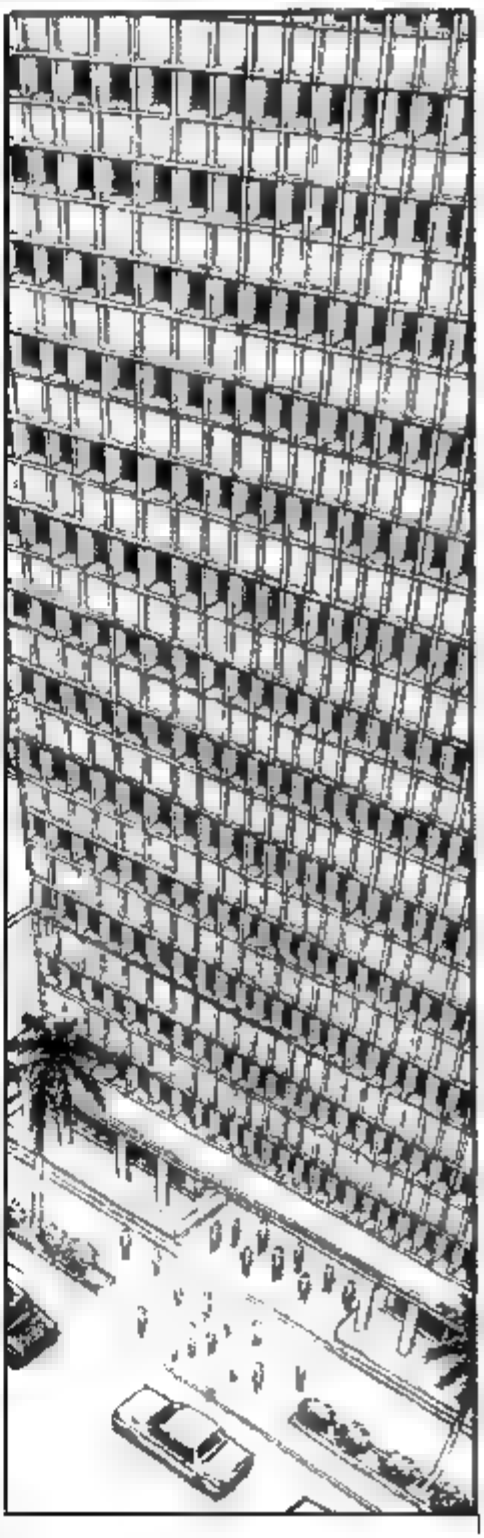
!

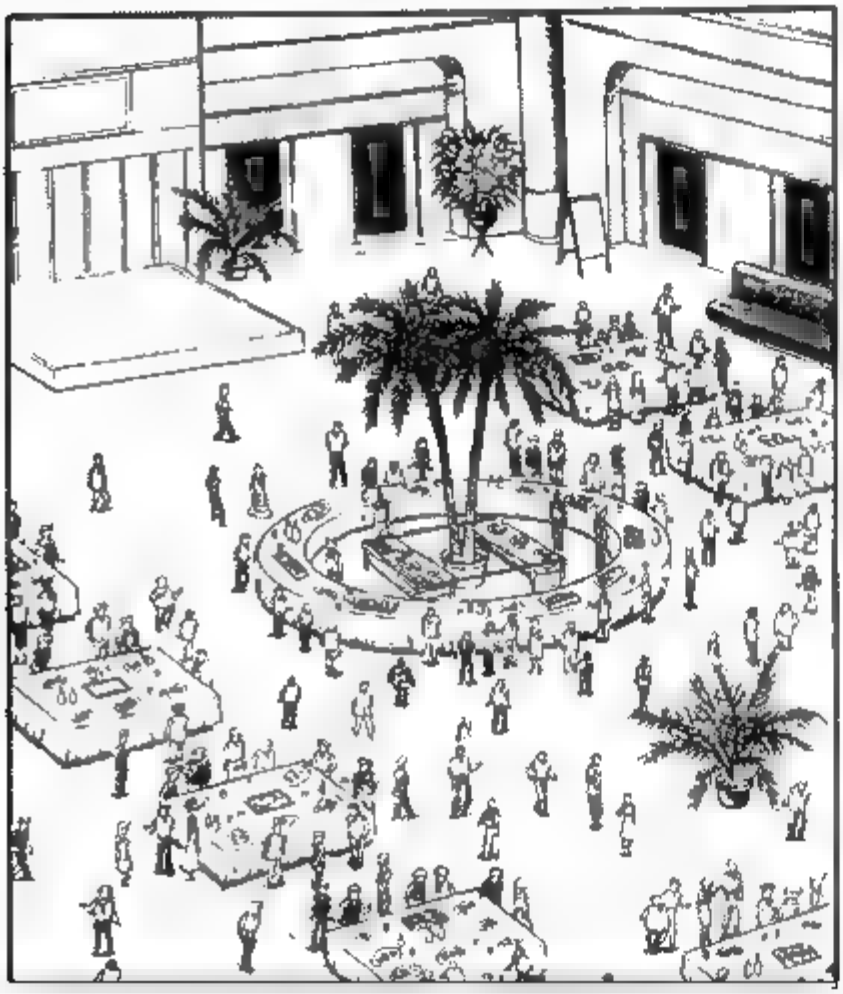
THEY'RE GOING TO GET YOU TOO IF YOU JUST STAY THERE!

GET OUT OF HERE QUICKLY!



USA vs JAPAN
HIGH SCHOOL 9 BALL
Championship





LET ME INTRODUCE YOU TO THE USA PLAYERS
YEAH
REALLY ?
VERY NICE
AND ...
THE FAMOUS JEFFREY BOID
THERE HE IS ..
SAMUEL HEIGER FROM NEW YORK
AND THEN LA'S MIKE STONE
FROM HAWAI IS HARRY JAMES

ISN'T HE THE ONE THAT WE SAW AT THAT BILLIARDS PLACE?
THAT GUY ...
I THINK WE'VE MET BEFORE
THIS IS CHINMI
HI!

JEFFREY, I'VE SEEN YOUR MIRACLE SHOT ON VIDEO
THAT'S AN AMAZING SHOT BUT...
I THINK IT'S A FAULT!
...
IF YOU USE A FLOW SHOT, THEN THE CUE BALL CAN CLIMB THE EIGHT BALL AND THEN HIT THE TARGET BALL..
BUT THAT MEANS THE CUE BALL HAS TOUCHED THE OBSTRUCTING BALL
THAT'S HOW YOU TRICKED THE AUDIENCE INTO THINKING THAT THE CUE BALL WENT THROUGH IT
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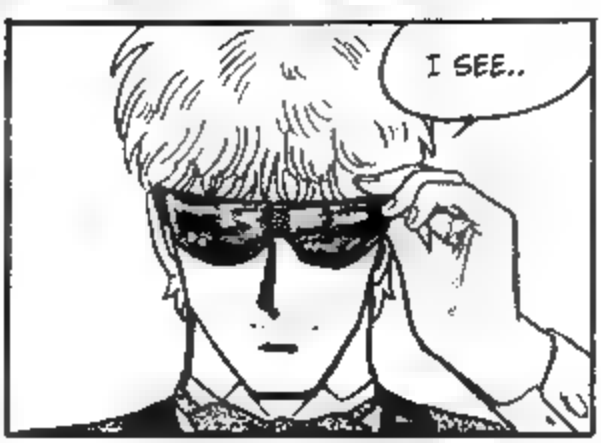
I GUESS I HAVE TO PROVE IT TO YOU

DON'T USE THAT TRICK WHEN YOU'RE PLAYING ME


I SEE..

SNAP
CLEAR THE TABLE
LIKE THIS?
<VERY GOOD>
COULD YOU STAND THERE AND PUT YOUR HAND LIKE THIS?
YOU CUTE GIRL OVER THERE
RUSTLE
SPLASH
LOOK AT THIS SIXTH BALL

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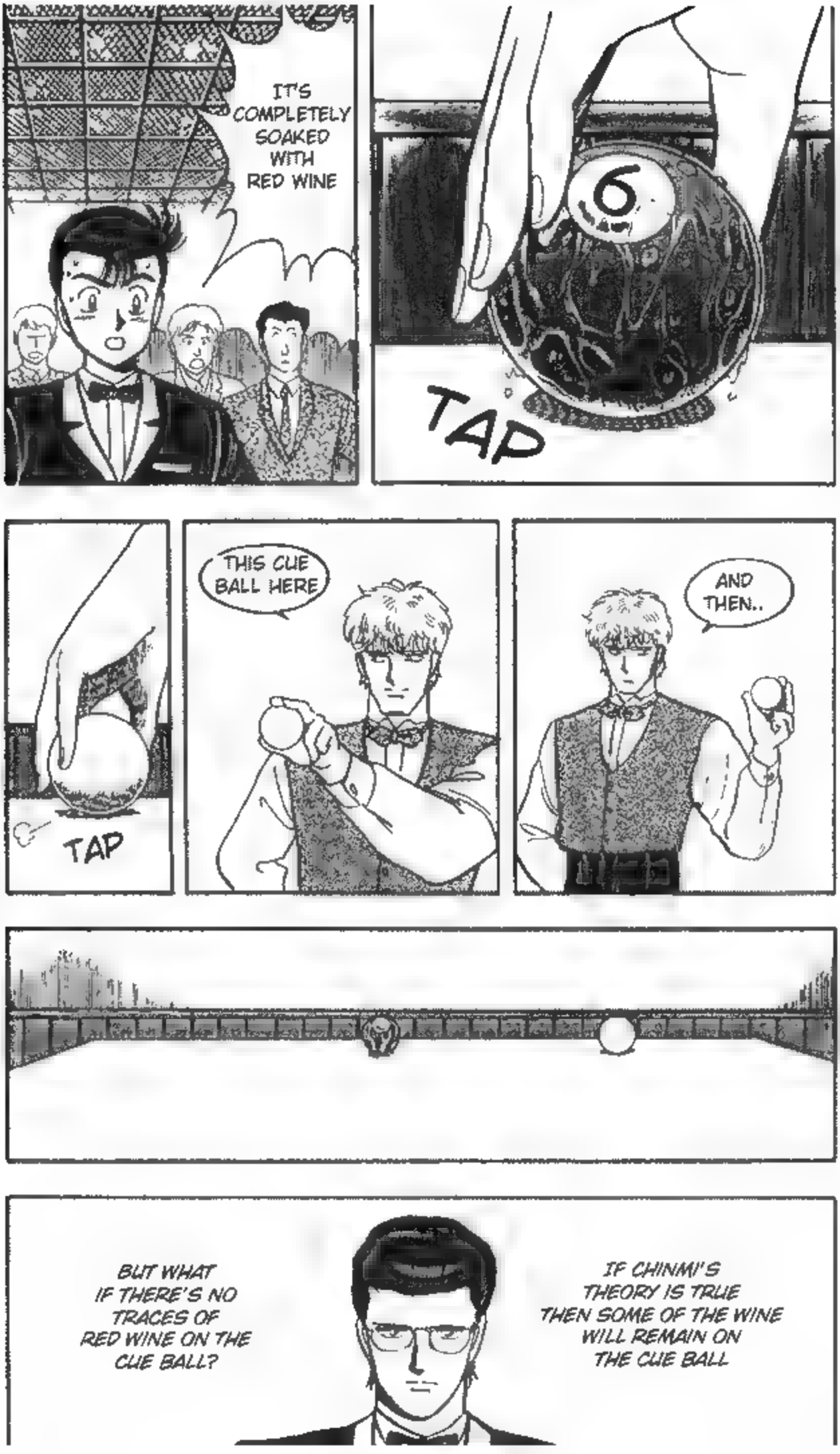
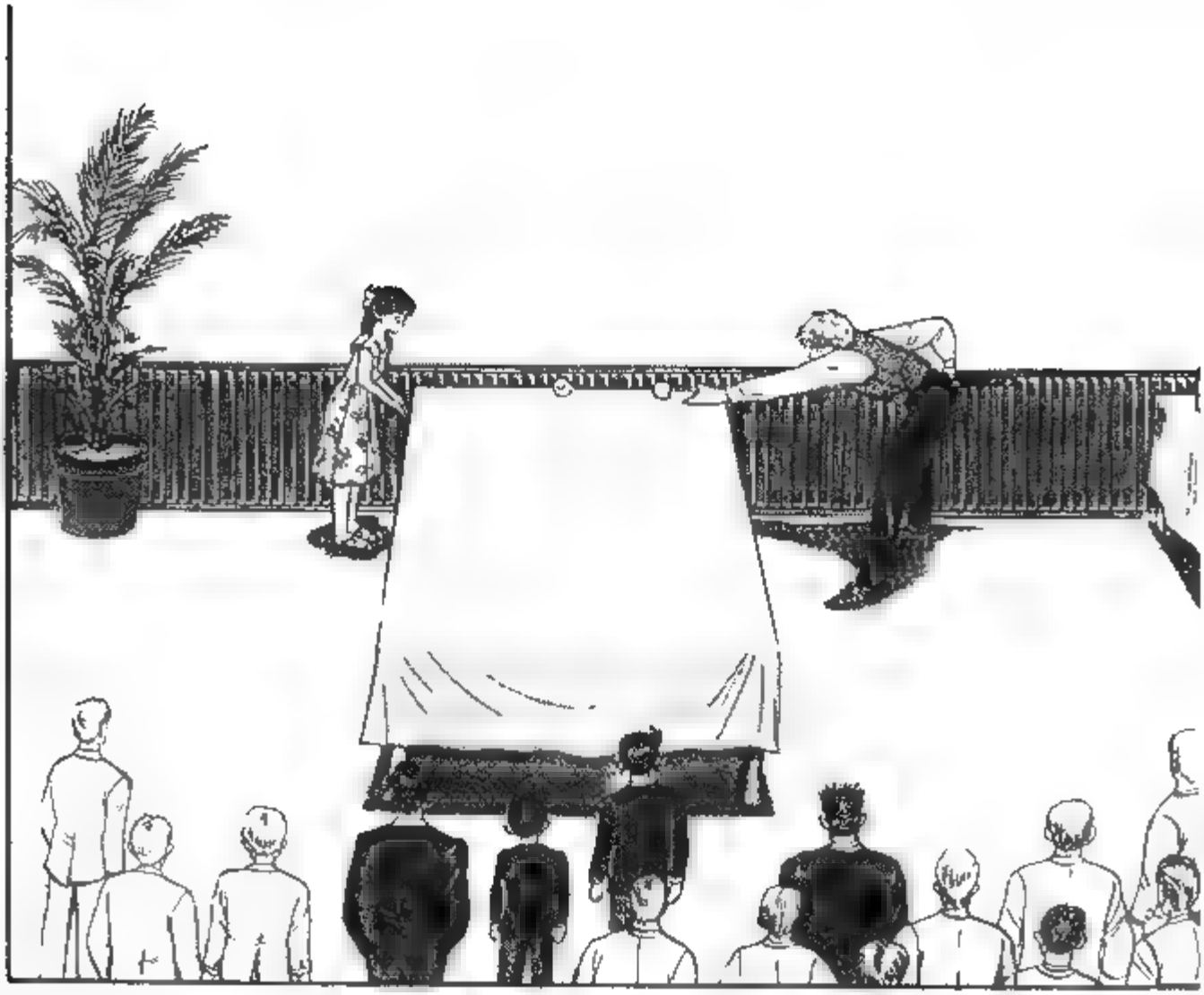
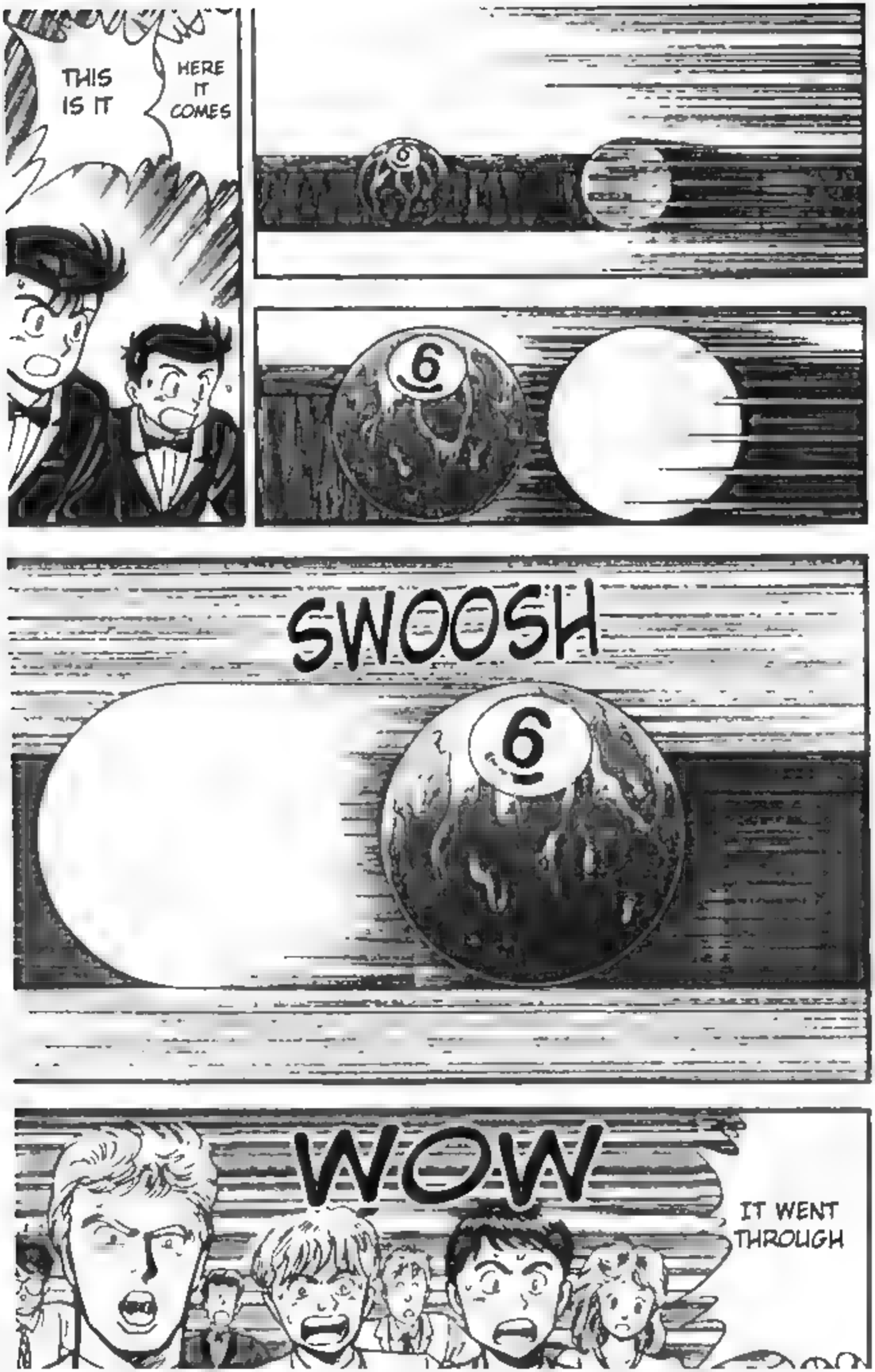

IT'S COMPLETELY SOAKED WITH RED WINE
6
TAP
TAP
THIS CUE BALL HERE
AND THEN..
BUT WHAT IF THERE'S NO TRACES OF RED WINE ON THE CUE BALL?
IF CHINMI'S THEORY IS TRUE THEN SOME OF THE WINE WILL REMAIN ON THE CUE BALL



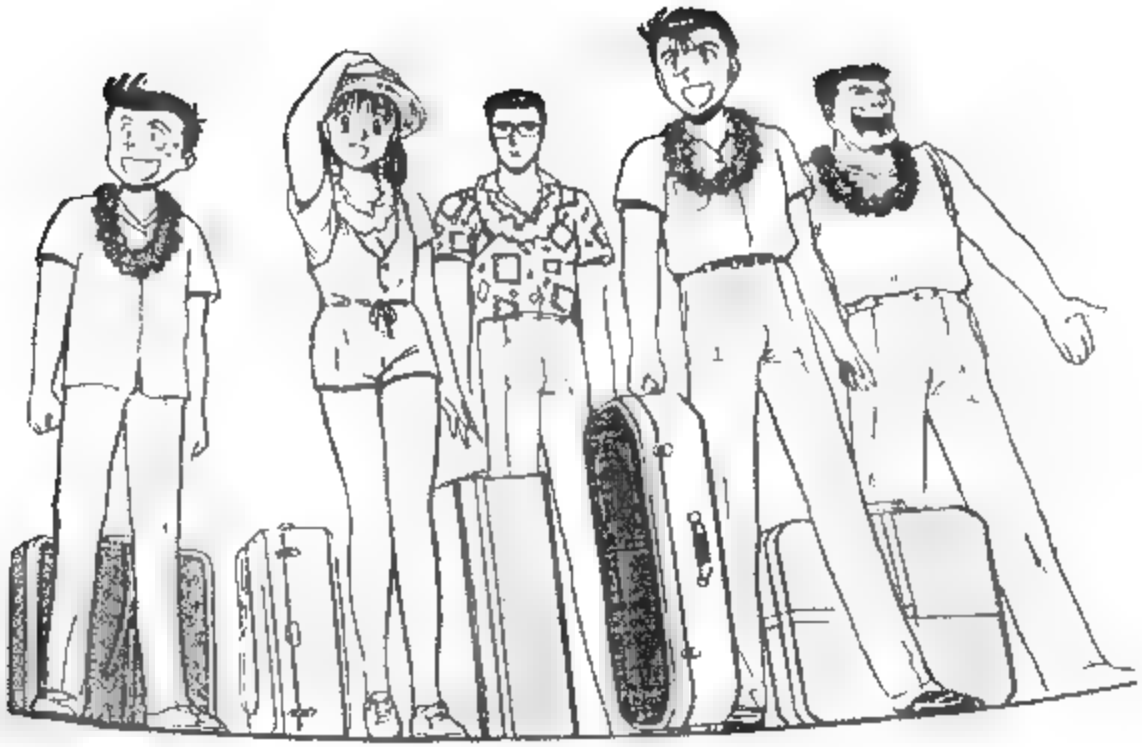
TCHK
TCHK

THWACK


THIS IS IT
HERE IT COMES
6
SWOOSH
6
WOW
IT WENT THROUGH

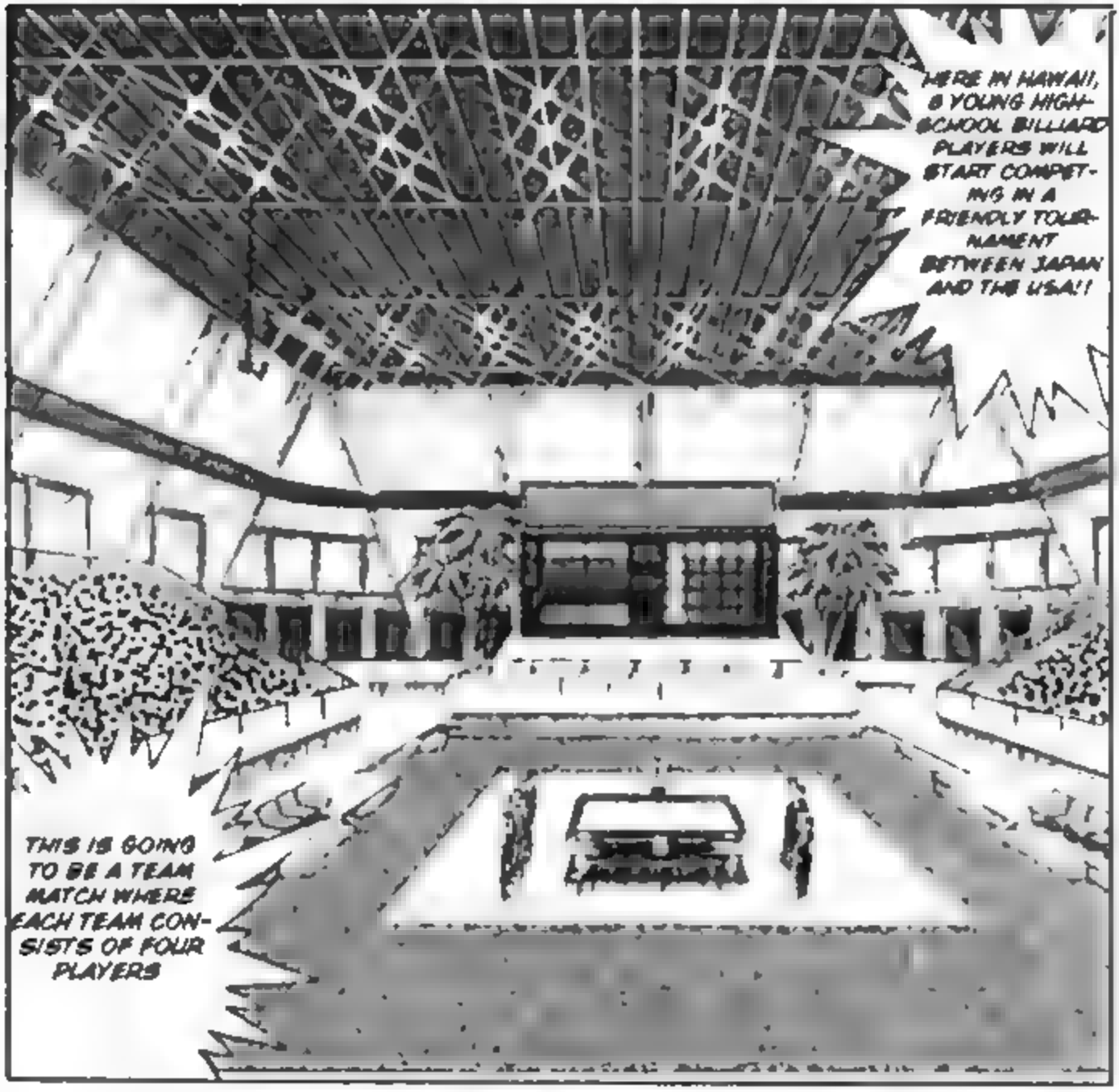
TAP
THERE YOU GO SO HOW'S THE RESULT?
ROLL
HOW IS IT?
IF THERE'S SOME RED WINE LEFT ON THE CUE BALL, THEN IT'S A FAULT

THAT MEANS...
THERE'S NO TRACES OF RED WINE AT ALL!
THE CUE BALL NEVER TOUCHED THE SIXTH BALL
IT'S NOT A FAULT!
WHAT'S THE MATTER JAPANESE PLAYERS? CAT GOT YOUR TONGUE?

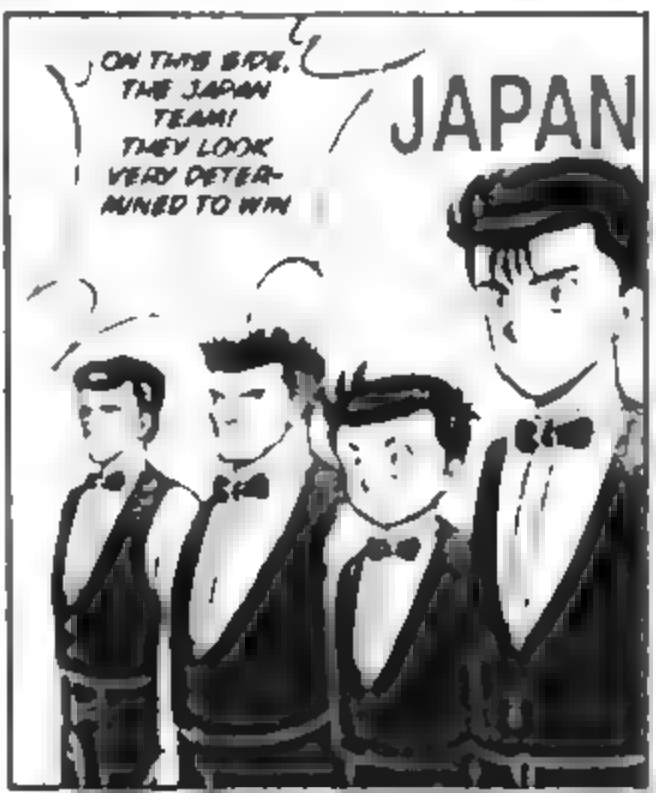


END OF BREAKSHOT VOL 3 CHP 1

OKI
RYOJI
AONO
CHINMI
BREAKSHOT
HARRY JAMES
MIKE STONE
SAMUEL HEIGAR
JEFFREY BOID


HERE IN HAWAII, 8 YOUNG HIGH-SCHOOL BILLIARD PLAYERS WILL START COMPETING IN A FRIENDLY TOURNAMENT BETWEEN JAPAN AND THE USA!!
THIS IS GOING TO BE A TEAM MATCH WHERE EACH TEAM CONSISTS OF FOUR PLAYERS

U.S.A
AND ON THIS SIDE, THE USA TEAM! THEY'RE ALSO DETERMINED TO WIN


JAPAN
ON THIS SIDE, THE JAPAN TEAM! THEY LOOK VERY DETERMINED TO WIN

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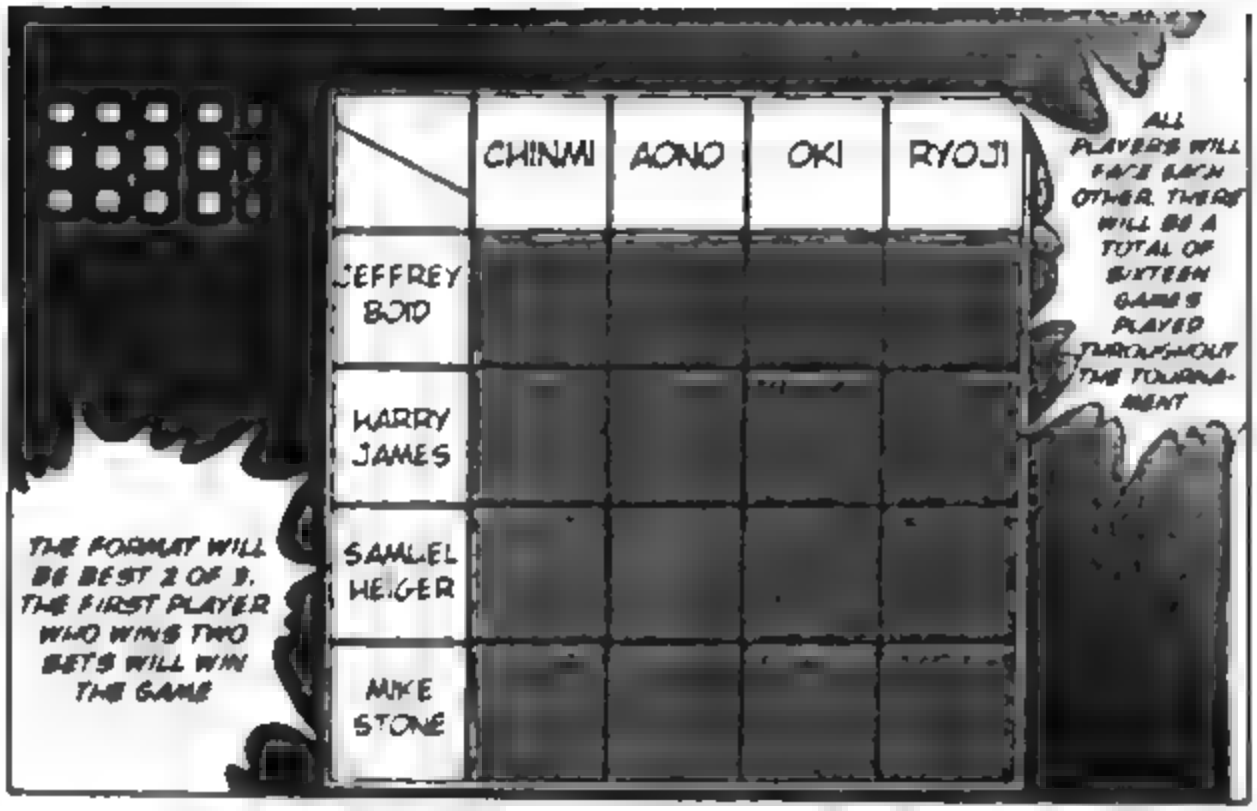
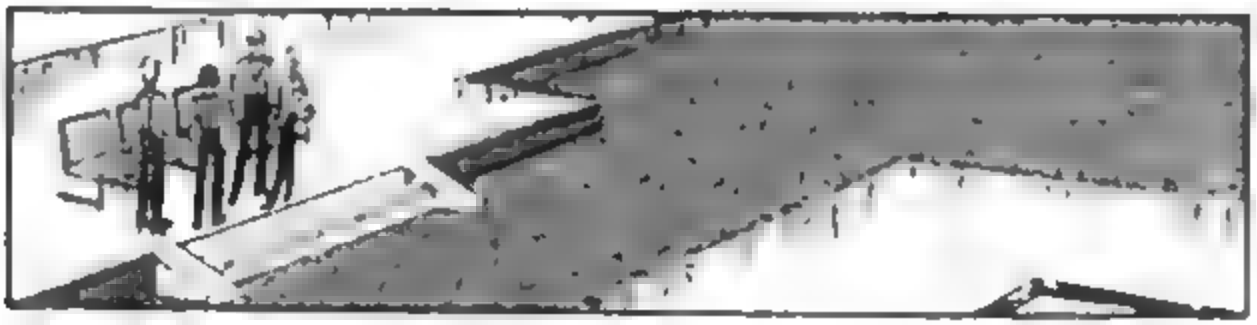

CHINMI
AONO
OKI
RYOJI
JEFFREY BOID
HARRY JAMES
SAMUEL HEIGER
MIKE STONE
ALL PLAYERS WILL FACE EACH OTHER. THERE WILL BE A TOTAL OF SIXTEEN GAMES PLAYED THROUGHOUT THE TOURNAMENT
THE FORMAT WILL BE BEST 2 OF 3. THE FIRST PLAYER WHO WINS TWO SETS WILL WIN THE GAME

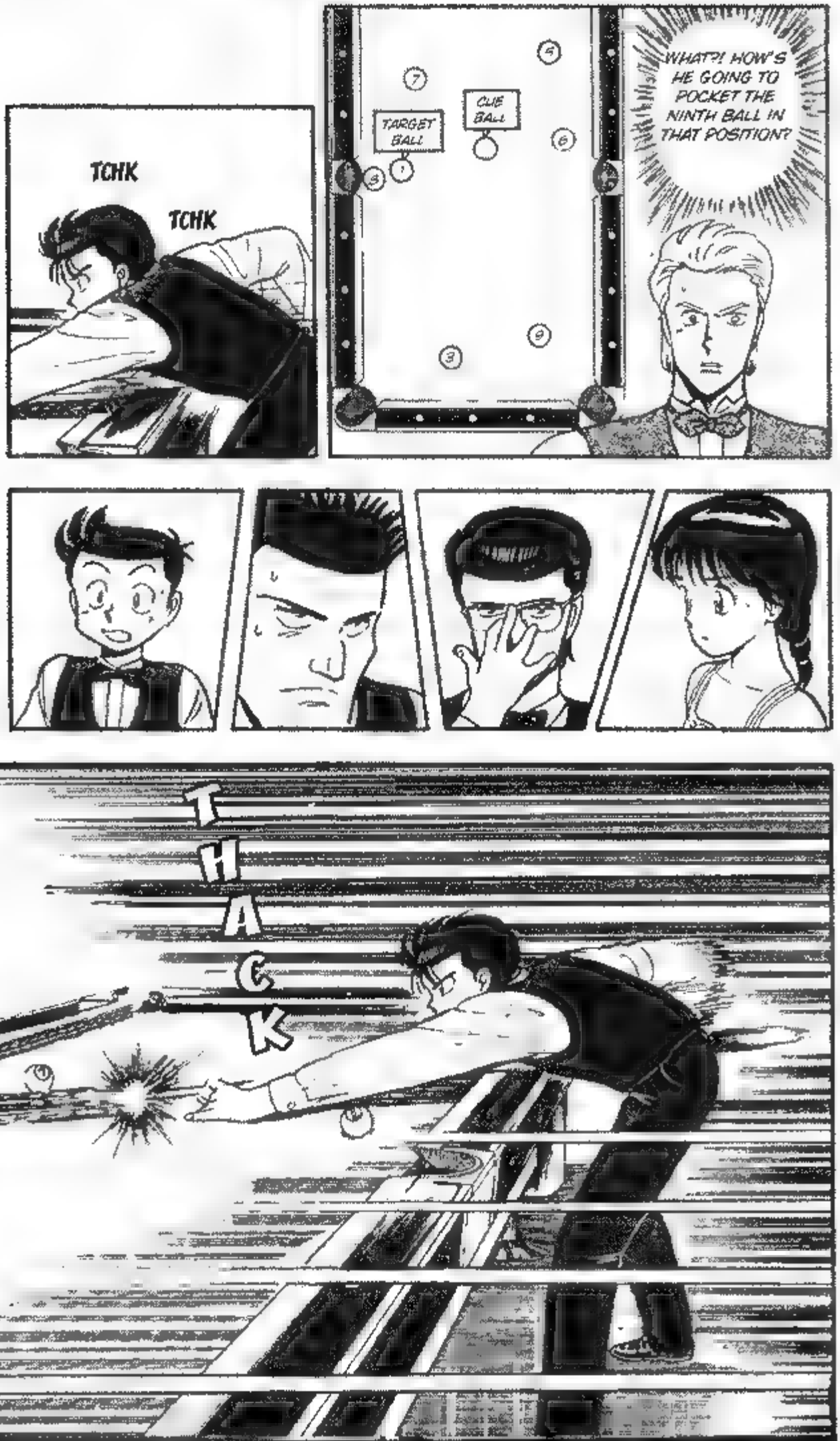


FURTHER-MORE,
THIS WILL BE GOOD PUBLICITY FOR THEM
FROM HERE THEY CAN SEE WHAT'S NEEDED TO BE THE JAPANESE STAR IN THE BILLIARDS WORLD

LOOK, THERE'S SOME JAPANESE IN THAT CORNER
IT SEEMS THERE'S QUITE A LOT JAPANESE SUPPORT-ERS IN HERE
DAMN
CHE. ONLY FOREIGNERS COME TO SEE THIS TOURNAMENT
THANK GOD THEY'RE NOT NERVOUS FACING A BIG GAME LIKE THIS
DON'T... DON'T BE RIDICU-LOUS!
DON'T BE SHY, CHINMI! I KNOW THAT YOU ONLY NEED OLIVE TO SUPPORT YOU!
IT WILL BE MORE FUN SINCE THERE'S MORE PEOPLE THAT'VE COME TO SUPPORT US
REALLY, THIS GUY
WE CAN'T LET THEM EASILY HUMILIATE US IN FRONT OF THIS CROWD
NO MATTER WHAT, WE HAVE TO GIVE EVERYTHING WE GOT
LET'S GO!

FROM USA TEAM IS HARRY JAMES!
CHINMI!
FROM JAPAN...
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
.....
YOU CAN COUNT ON ME
CLAP
CLAP
JUST BEAT HIM, HARRY!
YES!
CHINMI WILL START THE GAME!
THE RESULT OF THE BANKING
SHATTER
IF I WIN THIS FIRST GAME, I CAN KEEP UP MY TEAM'S MORALE
NO MATTER WHAT, I HAVE TO WIN THIS GAME!

NEXT TARGET IS THE FIRST BALL
TARGET BALL
CUE BALL
PHEW
I CAN ALSO POCKET THE EIGHTH BALL WITH A COMBINATION SHOT
WWOOOW
SECOND BALL'S IN! FOURTH BALL'S IN!
THE NINTH BALL'S HERE
....
OKAY, I'M GOING TO POCKET THE NINTH BALL NOW!
IF I DO THAT ..
THIS IS A RISKY SHOT, BUT I'VE GOT TO DO IT


TCHK
TCHK
TARGET BALL
CUE BALL
WHAT?! HOW'S HE GOING TO POCKET THE NINTH BALL IN THAT POSITION?
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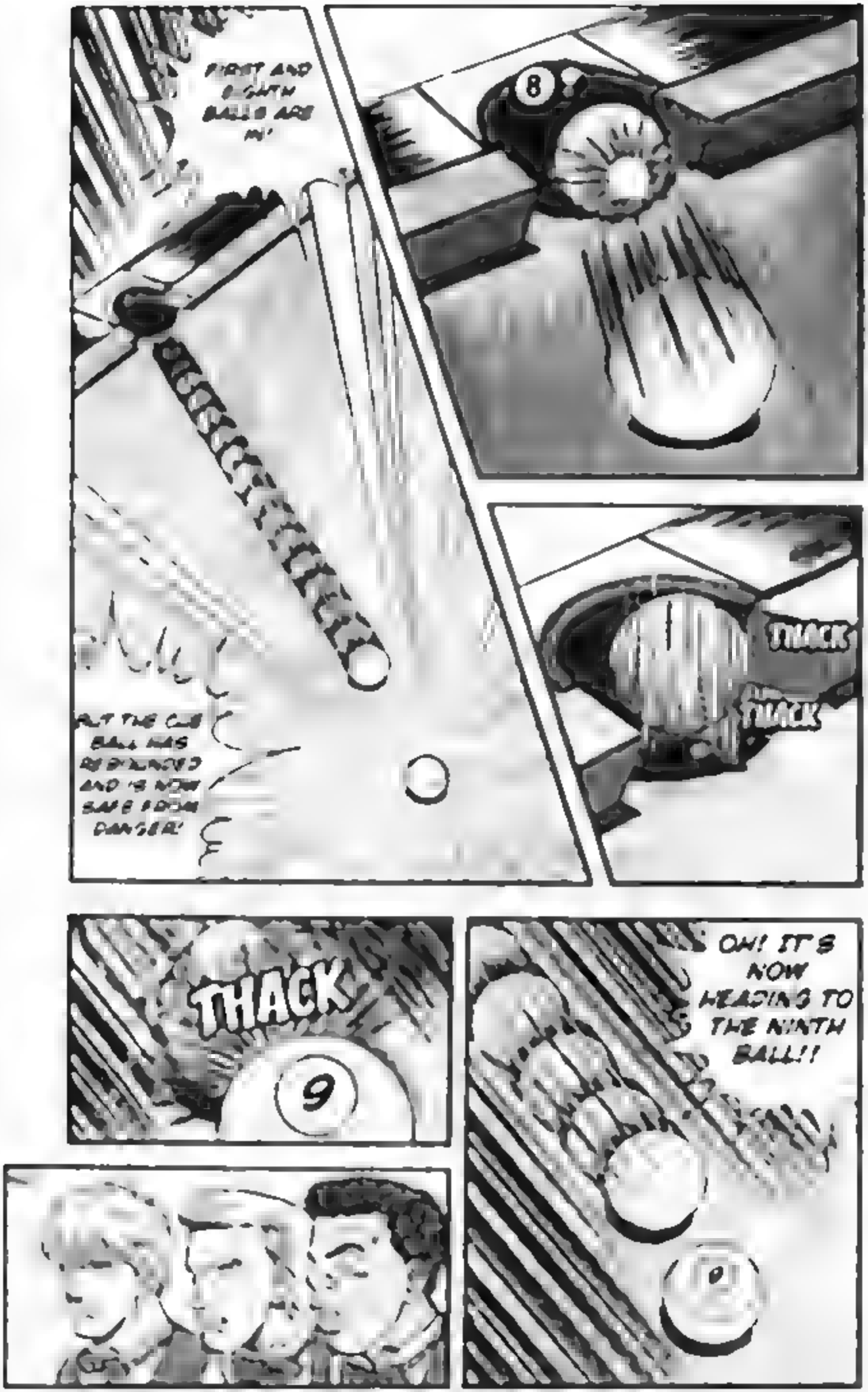
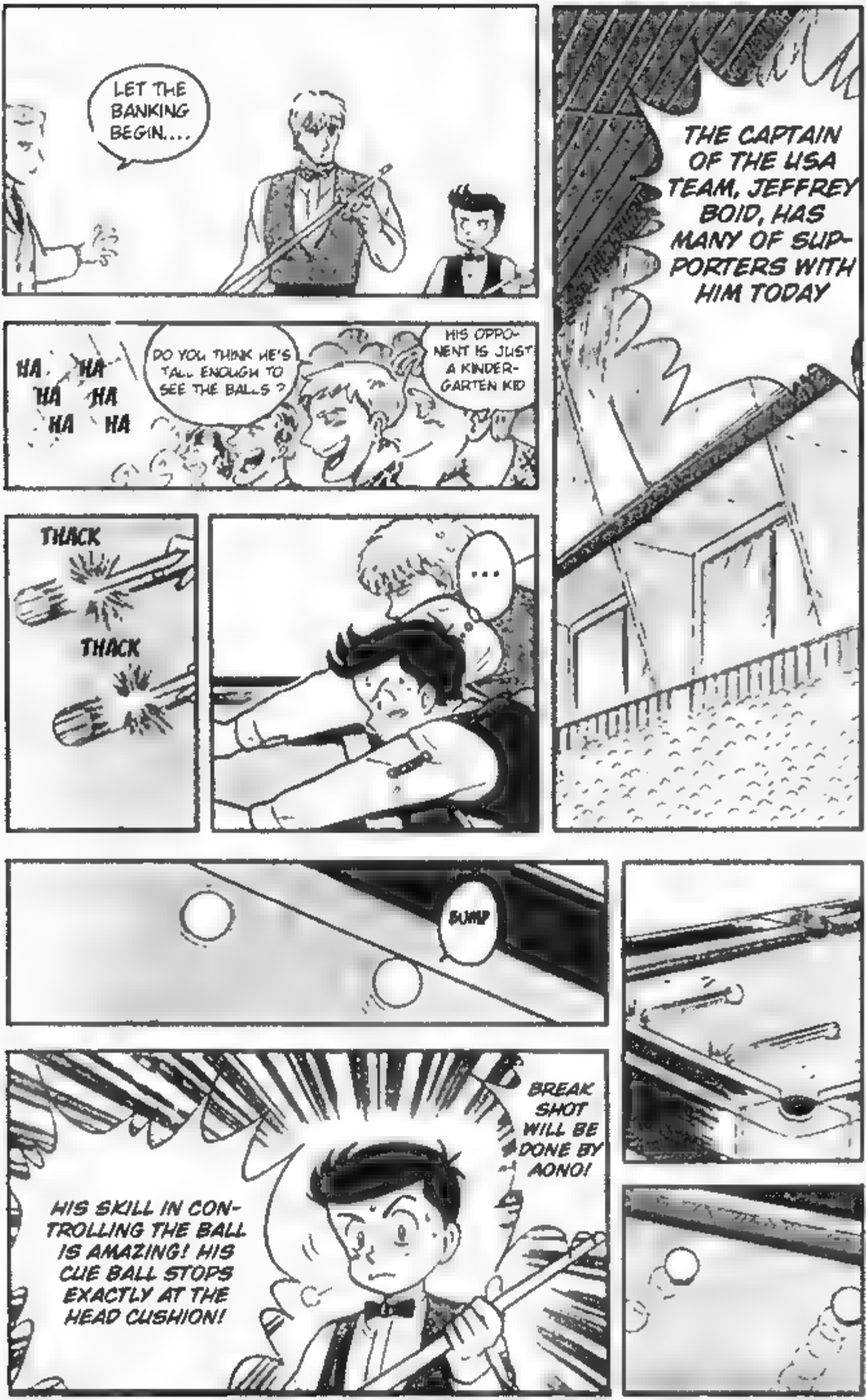
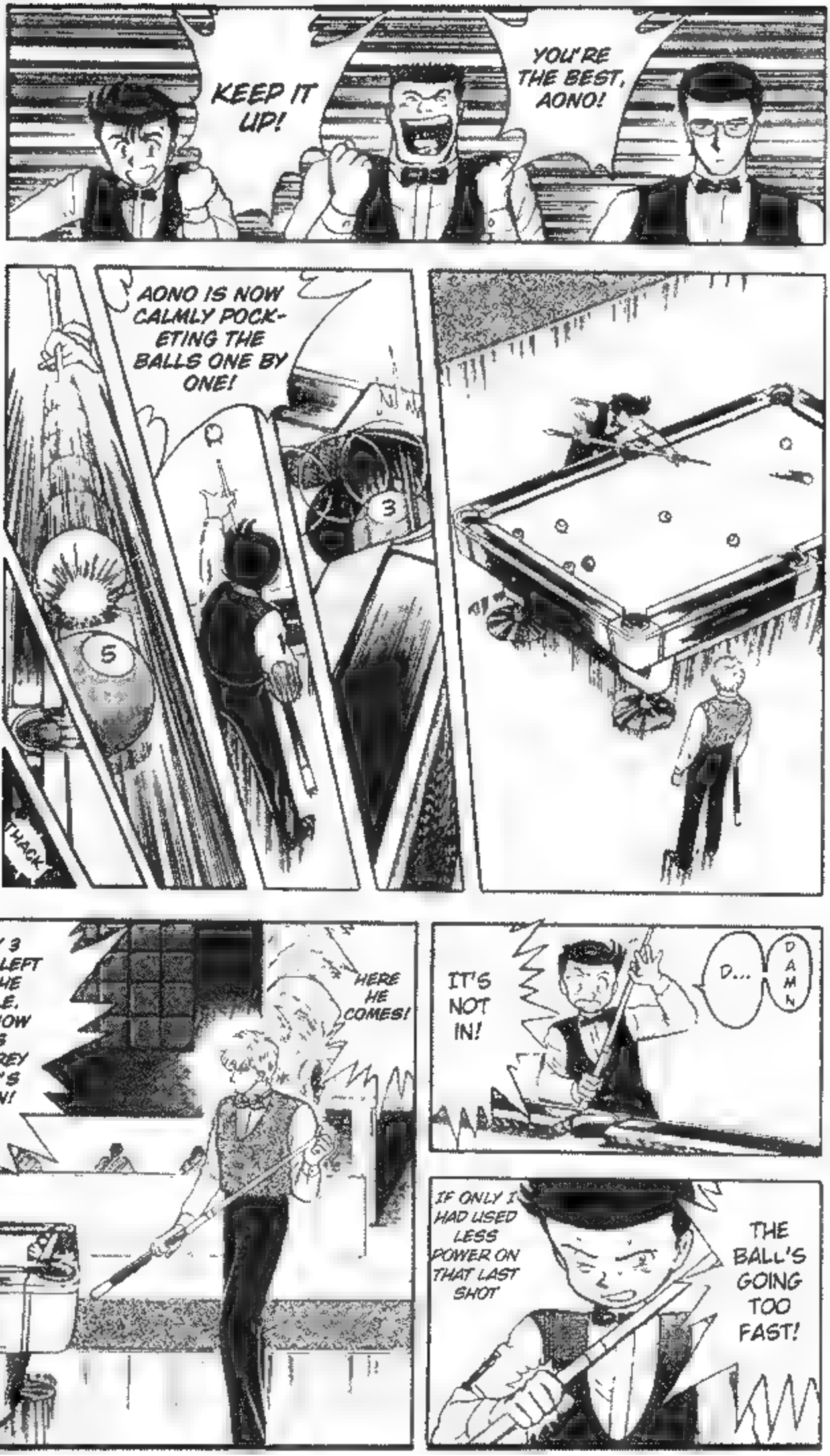
THACK
THACK
THOSE THREE BALLS ARE STICKING TO EACH OTHER!
IF THIS CONTINUES, THE CUE BALL WILL FALL IN TOO
THICK

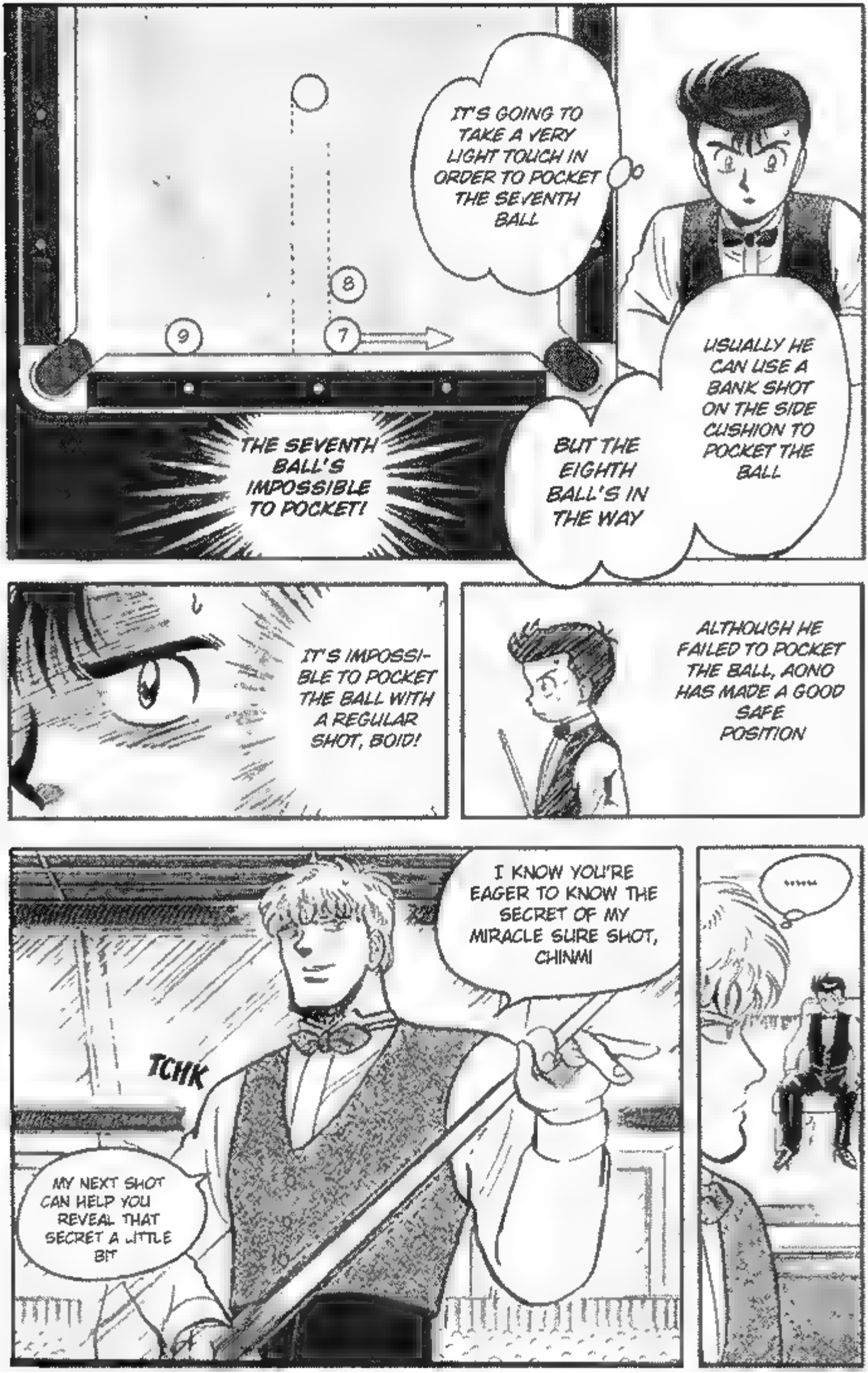

FIRST AND EIGHTH BALLS ARE IN!
8
SCRRR

IN A SHORT MOMENT THE FIRST 8 EIGHTH BALLS CAN FUNCTION AS A CUSHION WHILE THEY ARE STICKING TOGETHER BEFORE FALLING IN
8
1
9
WITH GOOD TIMING THE CUE BALL CAN REBOUND ON THOSE BALLS AND THEN GO TOWARDS THE NINTH BALL
IT SEEMS THAT I'VE UNDERESTIMATED YOU, CHINMI!
CHINMI HAS WON THE FIRST SET!
CLAP
YEAH!
THACK
CLAP
JAPAN
U.S.A
CHINMI EASILY WON THE SECOND SET WITH A MINIMAL AMOUNT OF TIME
USA'S HARRY JAMES WAS NEVER GIVEN A CHANCE TO SHOW HIS SKILLS ON THIS FIRST GAME

FROM THE USA TEAM IS ...!
I'M GOING TO WIN TOO
DO YOUR BEST, AONO!
FROM JAPAN ...
NEXT IS THE SECOND GAME
JEFFREY!
JEFFREY!
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
YAAAYY
JEFFREY BOID!
WHAT KIND OF SHOTS ARE YOU GOING TO SHOW US IN THIS GAME?
JEFFREY BOID.


LET THE BANKING BEGIN....
THE CAPTAIN OF THE USA TEAM, JEFFREY BOID, HAS MANY OF SUPPORTERS WITH HIM TODAY
HA HA HA HA HA HA
DO YOU THINK HE'S TALL ENOUGH TO SEE THE BALLS ?
HIS OPPONENT IS JUST A KINDERGARTEN KID
THACK
THACK
...
BUMP
BREAK SHOT WILL BE DONE BY AONO!
HIS SKILL IN CONTROLLING THE BALL IS AMAZING! HIS CUE BALL STOPS EXACTLY AT THE HEAD CUSHION!


KEEP IT UP!
YOU'RE THE BEST, AONO!
AONO IS NOW CALMLY POCK-ETING THE BALLS ONE BY ONE!
3
5
THACK
ONLY 3 BALLS LEFT ON THE TABLE. AND NOW IT'S JEFFREY BOID'S TURN!
HERE HE COMES!
IT'S NOT IN!
D...
DAMN
IF ONLY I HAD USED LESS POWER ON THAT LAST SHOT
THE BALL'S GOING TOO FAST!


IT'S GOING TO TAKE A VERY LIGHT TOUCH IN ORDER TO POCKET THE SEVENTH BALL
USUALLY HE CAN USE A BANK SHOT ON THE SIDE CUSHION TO POCKET THE BALL
BUT THE EIGHTH BALL'S IN THE WAY
THE SEVENTH BALL'S IMPOSSIBLE TO POCKET!
8
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7
IT'S IMPOSSI-BLE TO POCKET THE BALL WITH A REGULAR SHOT, BOID!
ALTHOUGH HE FAILED TO POCKET THE BALL, AONO HAS MADE A GOOD SAFE POSITION
I KNOW YOU'RE EAGER TO KNOW THE SECRET OF MY MIRACLE SURE SHOT, CHINMI
TCHK
MY NEXT SHOT CAN HELP YOU REVEAL THAT SECRET A LITTLE BIT
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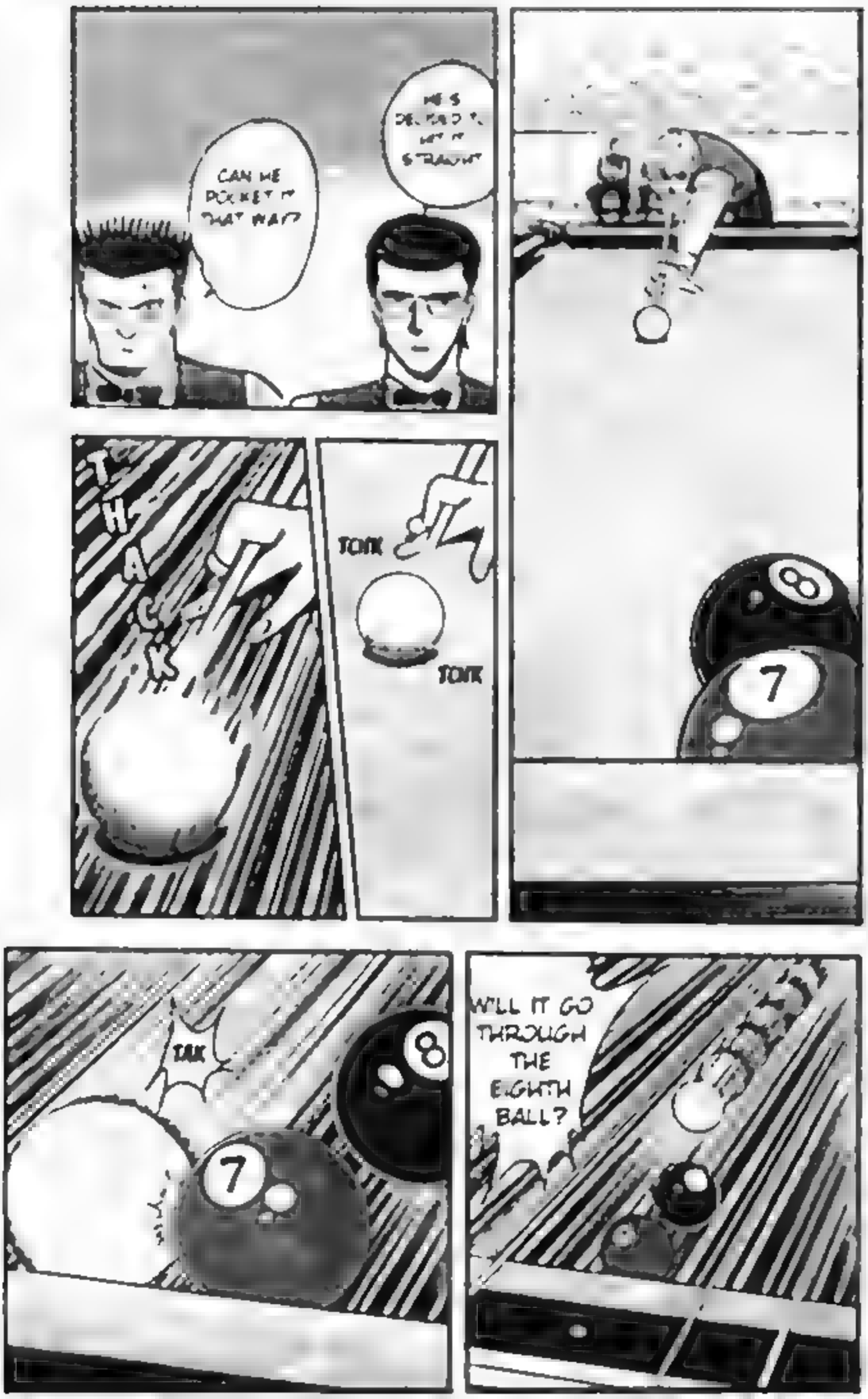
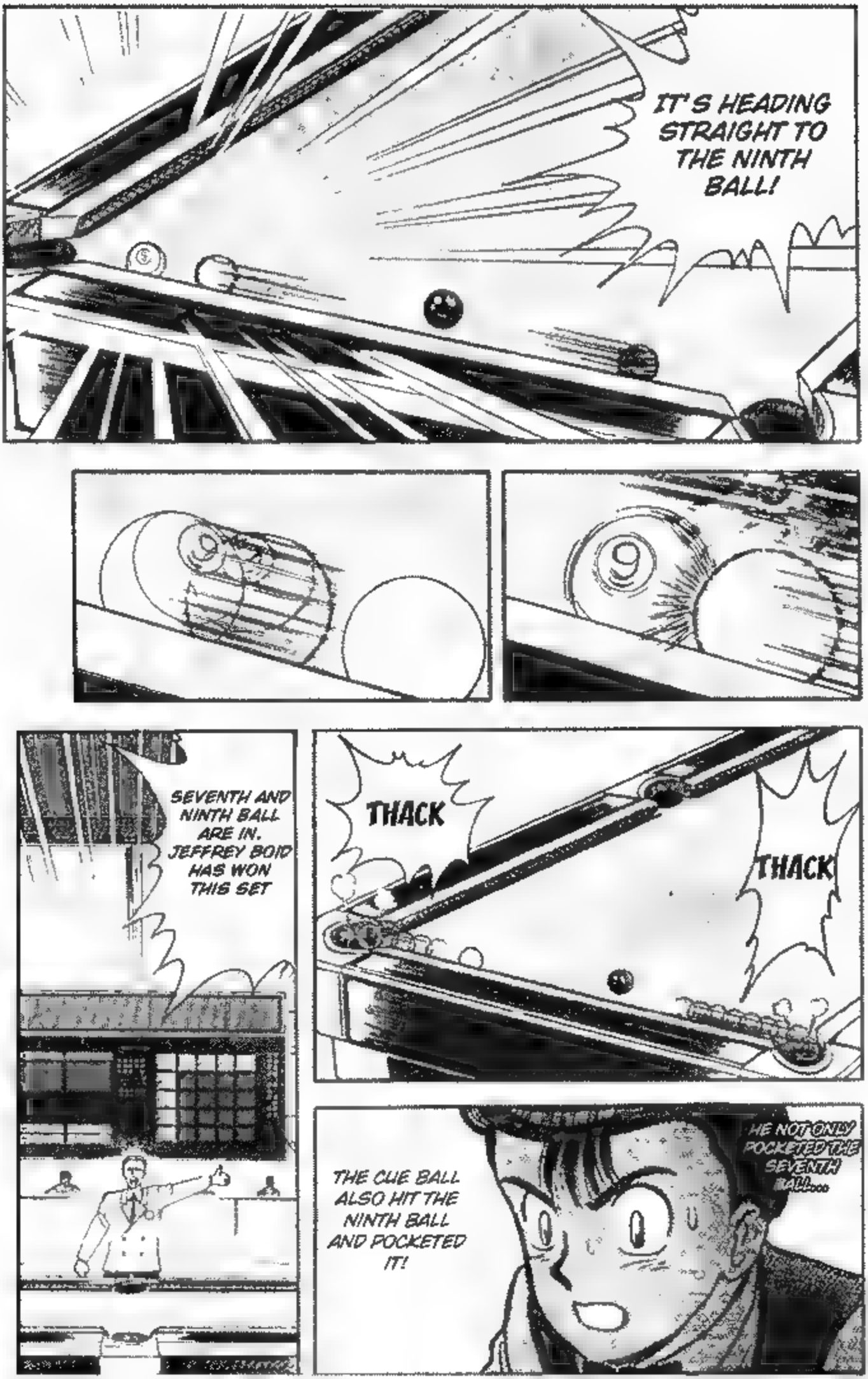
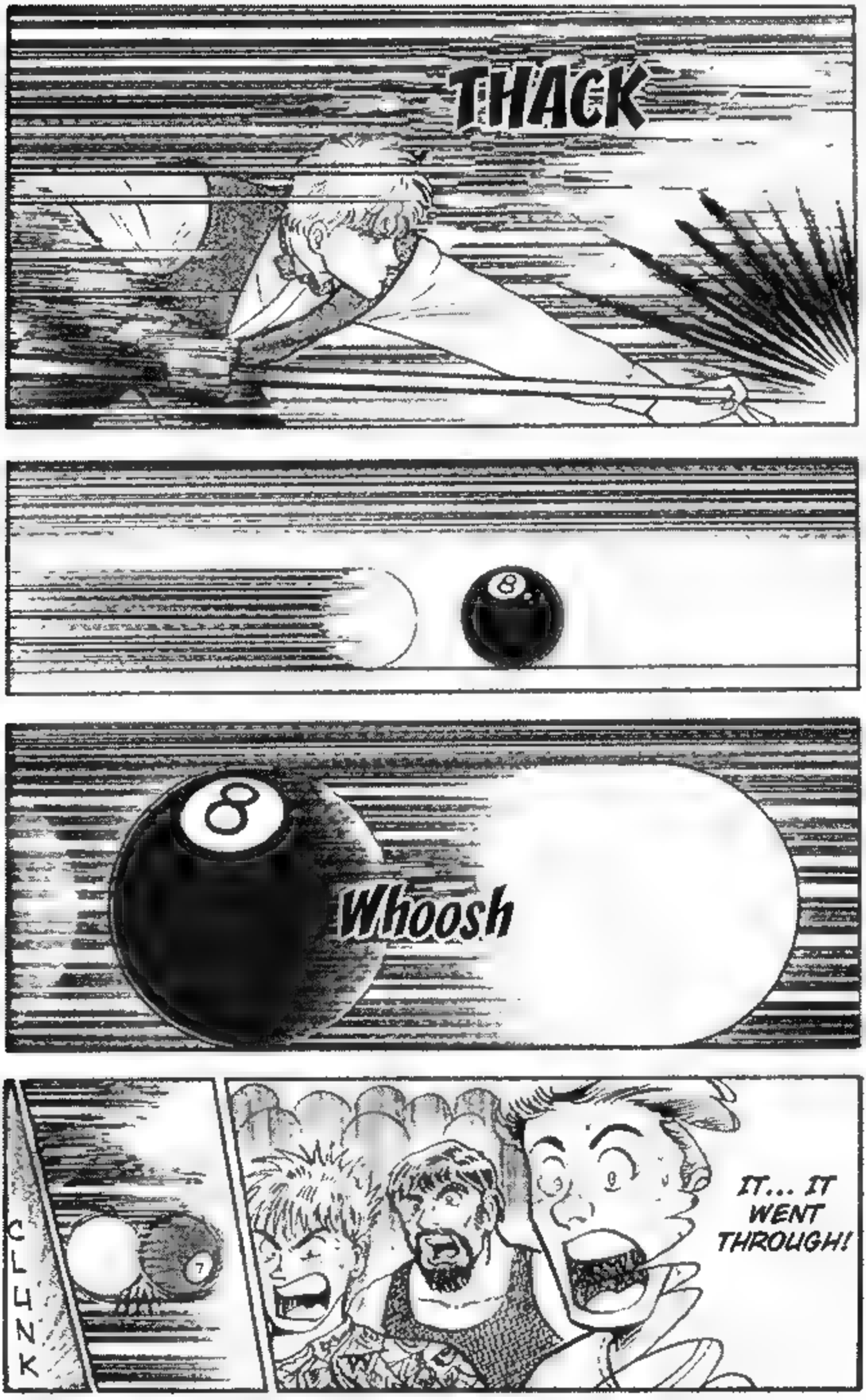

CAN HE POCKET IT THAT WAY?
HE'S DETERMINED TO HIT IT STRAIGHT
THACK
TOCK
TOCK
7
TAK
8
7
WILL IT GO THROUGH THE EIGHTH BALL?

TAK
7 7 7 7
TAK
TAK
7 7 7
WHAT'S GOING ON!? THE SEVENTH BALL HAS SUDDENLY STARTED ROTATING VERY FAST!
RRRTT
AAAH... THE CUE BALL TOO...!
THE SEVENTH BALL HAS MOVED IN THE DIRECTION OF THE POCKET


IT'S HEADING STRAIGHT TO THE NINTH BALL!
SEVENTH AND NINTH BALL ARE IN. JEFFREY BOID HAS WON THIS SET
THACK
THACK
THE CUE BALL ALSO HIT THE NINTH BALL AND POCKETED IT!
HE NOT ONLY POCKETED THE SEVENTH BALL....

WWOOOWW
AND THEN HE POCKETED THE NINTH BALL
WITH JUST A LITTLE TOUCH HE MADE THE SEVENTH BALL ROTATE SO FAST ..
USING A REGULAR SHOT EVEN IF YOU USE SO MUCH POWER, YOU CAN'T CREATE A STRONG ROTATION LIKE THAT
HOW DID HE DO IT?
THAT LAST SHOT... IS IT RELATED TO THE SECRET OF HIS MIRACLE SURE SHOT?

THE SECOND SET WILL BE A LOT MORE INTERESTING FROM NOW ON
IN THE GAME OF JEFFREY BOND VERSUS AONO,
EVEN WITH A DIFFICULT POSITION LIKE THAT, JEFFREY HAS SUCCESSFULLY TAKEN THE FIRST SET!
THE PATH BETWEEN THE CUE BALL AND THE TARGET BALL IS BLOCKED BY ANOTHER BALL
CUE BALL
TARGET BALL
THIS POSITION...
IS HE GOING TO USE HIS MIRACLE SURE SHOT?


THACK
Whoosh
KNEE
IT... IT WENT THROUGH!

THE SCORE IS NOW A 1-1 TIE!
JAPAN
USA
I LOST
THIS IS A WONDER-FULLY DONE MIRACLE SURE SHOT BY JEFFREY BOID!
JAPAN
USA
22
RYOJI VERSUS M STONE
...
HE WAS COMPLETELY DEFEATED
JAPAN
U.S.A
2
OKI VERSUS S HEGAR
IT WAS A CLOSE WIN
THIS IS THE END OF TODAY'S JAPAN-USA HIGH SCHOOL TOURNAMENT! THE SCORE IS A 2-2 TIE!

IT'S A MIRACLE SHOT ALL RIGHT!
THE ONLY WAY TO DO THAT IS TO UNDERSTAND THE SECRET BEHIND HIS MIRACLE SURE SHOT
IF WE CAN'T DEFEAT JEFFREY BOID, WE'LL SURELY LOSE THIS TOURNAMENT
CAN THIS SHOT MAKE THE EIGHTH BALL ROTATE?
WHY DON'T WE GIVE IT A TRY?
IT'S POSSIBLE
THAT LAST POSITION ON THE FIRST SET OF MY GAME WITH HIM MIGHT GIVE US A CLUE
WITH A LITTLE TOUCH ON THE SEVENTH BALL HE MADE IT ROTATE SO FAST
HOW DID HE DO IT?

TRY TO ALTER THE ANGLE A LITTLE
NO USE IT WON'T ROTATE
NO MATTER WHERE WE AIM, IT STILL WON'T ROTATE
THIS IS USELESS
AS USUAL, HIS SHOT IS VERY POWERFUL
BUT IT STILL WON'T ROTATE
RRRTT
THACK
WHAT ABOUT OK'S MASSE?
OK I'LL TRY IT

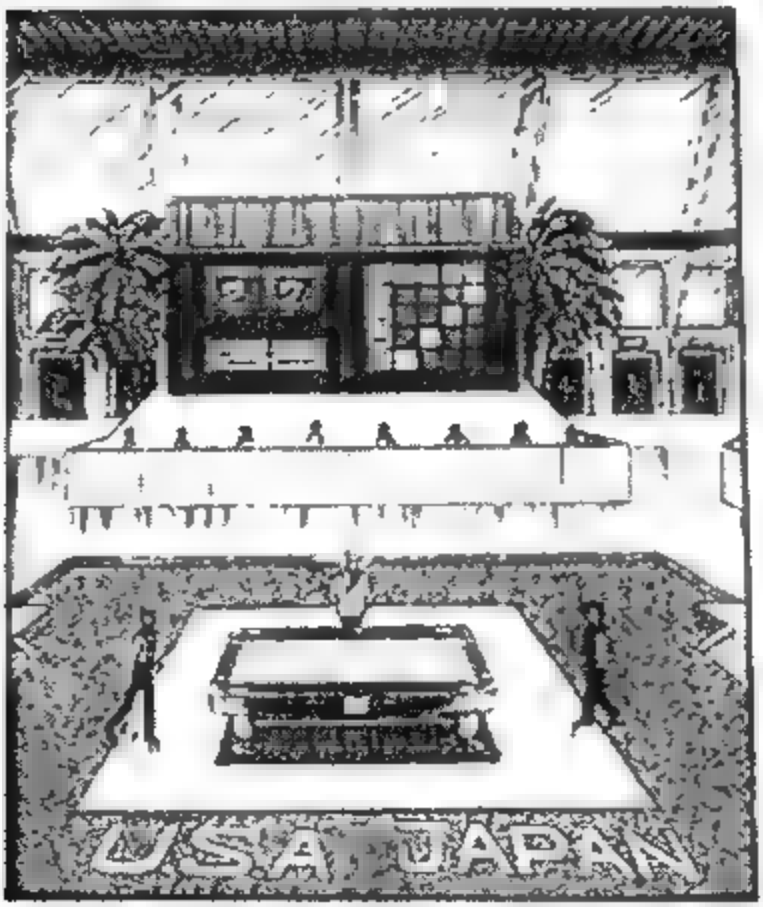
THAT'S RIGHT
ISN'T TOMORROW OKI'S TURN TO PLAY BOID?

.....

THAT'S WHY WE'RE GOING TO TRAIN TODAY

LET'S TRAIN YOUR POWERFUL MASSE SHOT FOR TOMORROW'S GAME

SURELY YOU REMEMBER OUR GAME AT THE INTER-HIGH
IT'S POWERFUL ALRIGHT, BUT MY SHOTS AREN'T SO ACCURATE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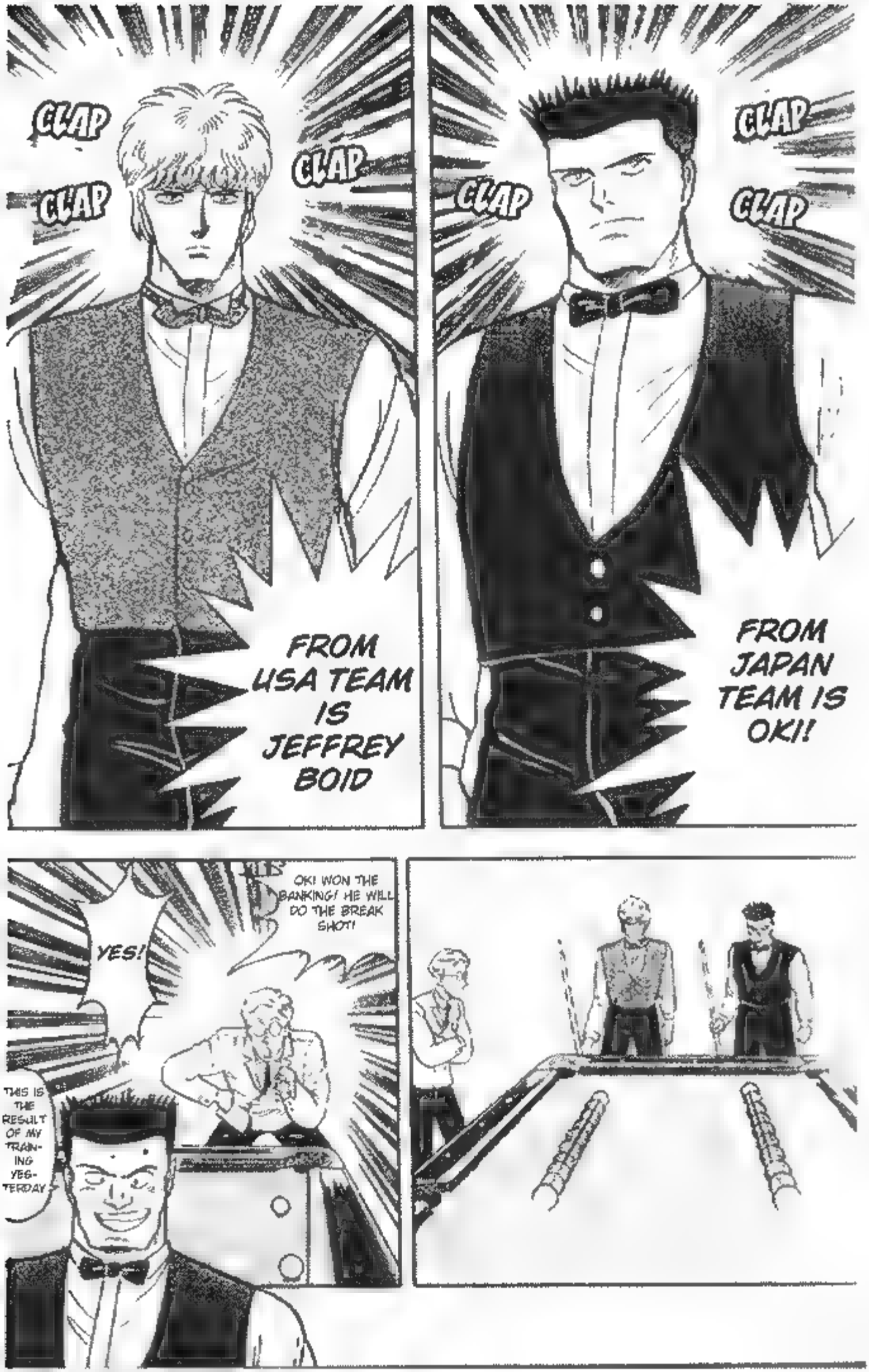
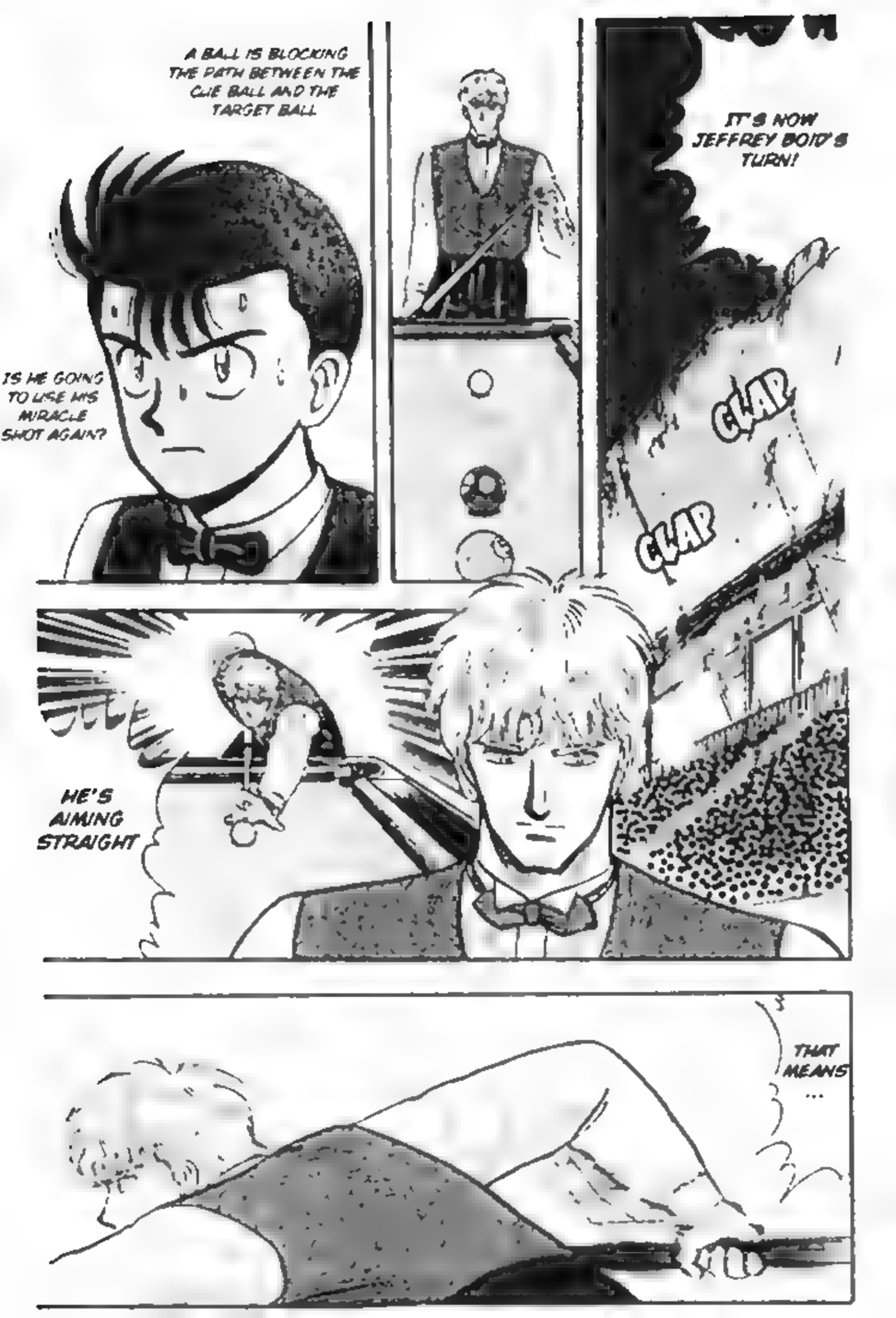
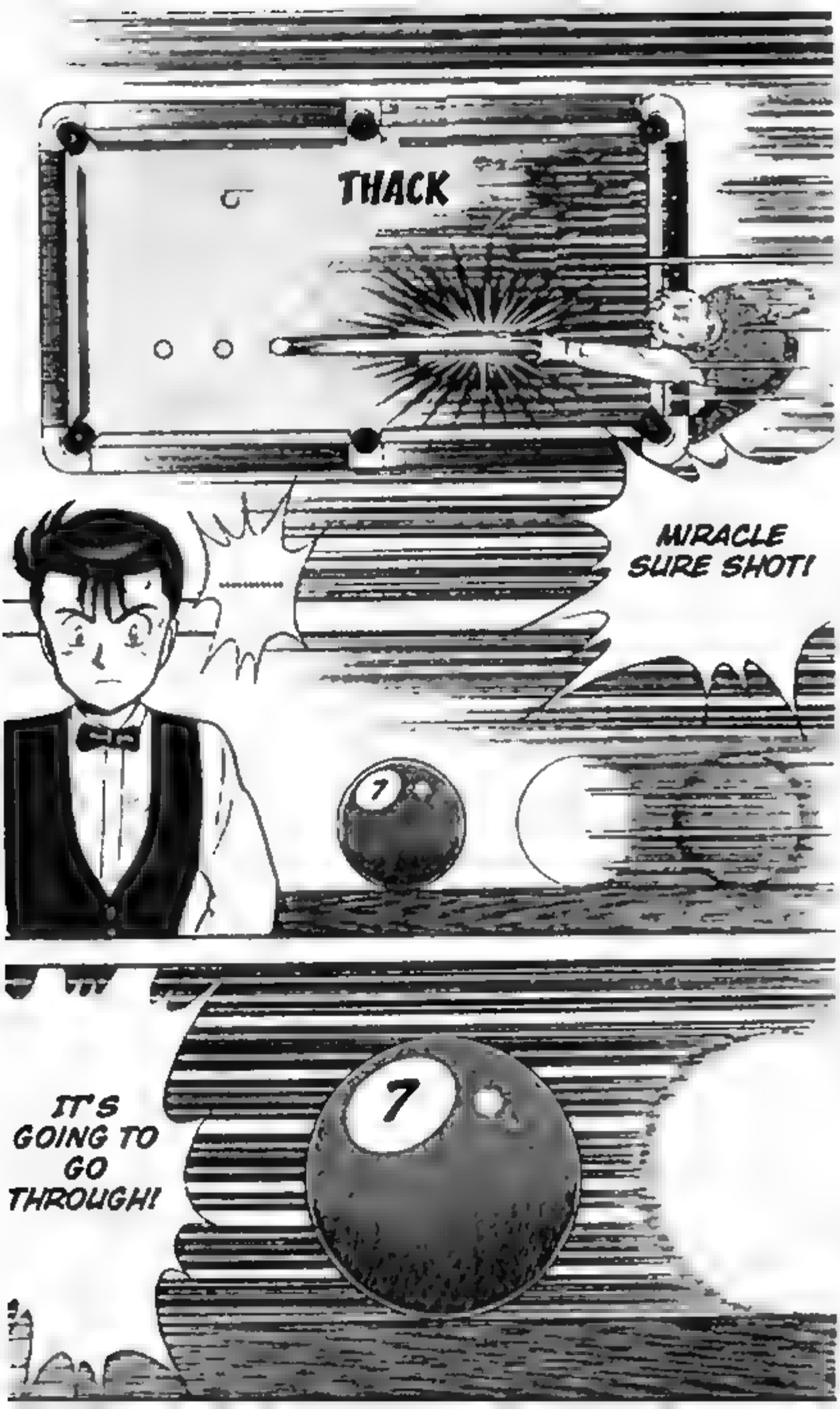
OK WHATEVER YOU SAY, CHINMI


CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
FROM USA TEAM IS JEFFREY BOID
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
FROM JAPAN TEAM IS OK!!
YES!
OK! WON THE BANKING! HE WILL DO THE BREAK SHOT!
THIS IS THE RESULT OF MY TRAINING YESTERDAY

THACK
USE YOUR POWER, OK!
ATTACK WITH YOUR MASSE!
SHATTER
THAT SHOT IS SO POWERFUL!
THAT JAPANESE GUY IS REALLY STRONG!
WOW!
FIRST SECOND AND FOURTH BALLS ARE IN!
THACK
THACK
THACK

OH NO! HE FAILED!
OKI KEEPS ATTACKING USING HIS POWERFUL MASSE SHOT!
DAMN!
TOO BAD, OKI! IT WAS SO CLOSE
CUE BALL
TARGET BALL
THAT POSITION.


A BALL IS BLOCKING THE PATH BETWEEN THE CUE BALL AND THE TARGET BALL
IS HE GOING TO USE HIS MIRACLE SHOT AGAIN?
IT'S NOW JEFFREY BOID'S TURN!
CLAP
CLAP
HE'S AIMING STRAIGHT
THAT MEANS ...


THACK
MIRACLE SURE SHOT!
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IT'S GOING TO GO THROUGH!
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WHOAH!
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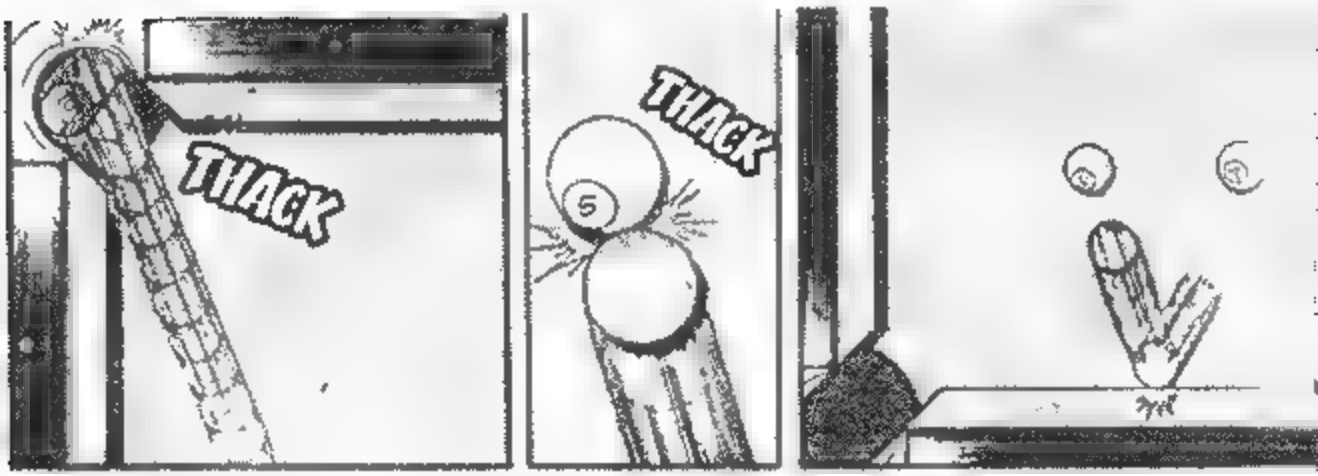
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THACK
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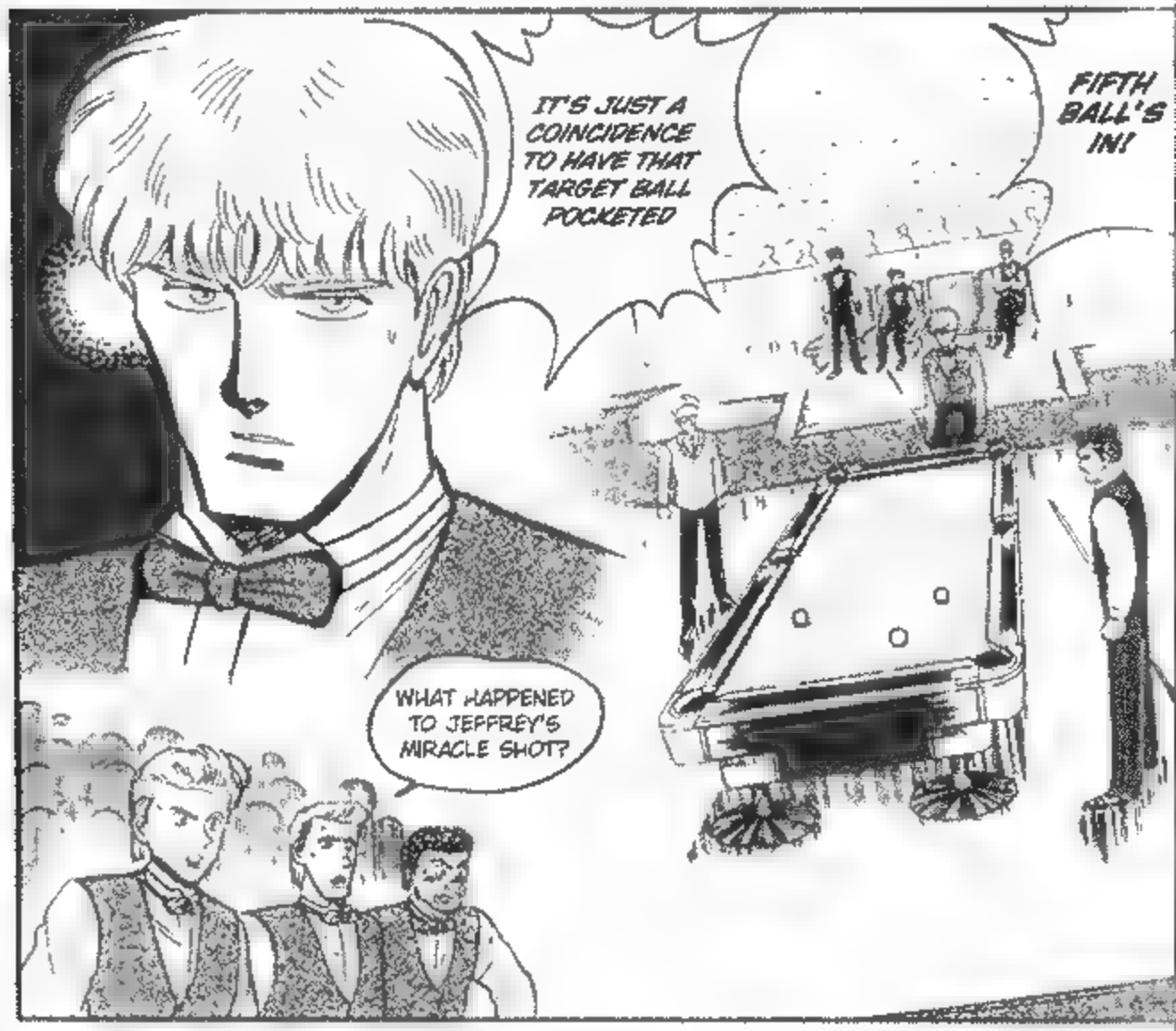
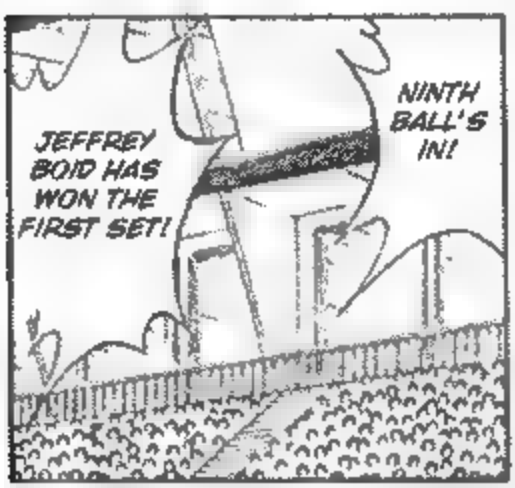
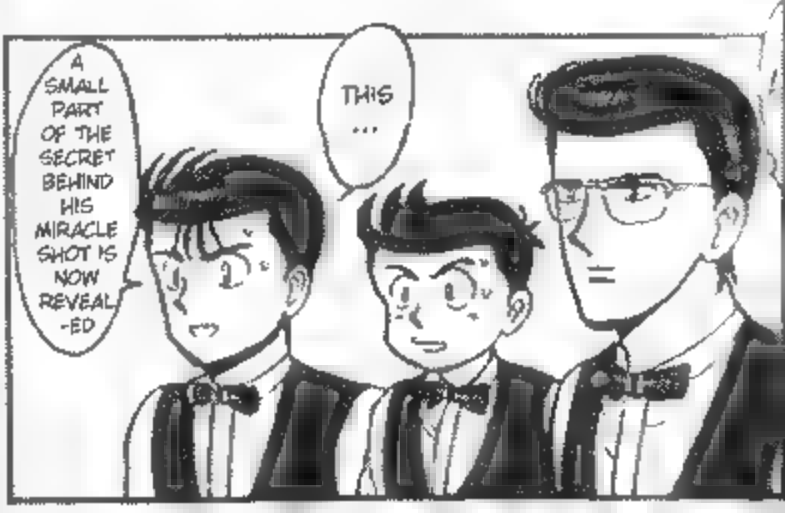
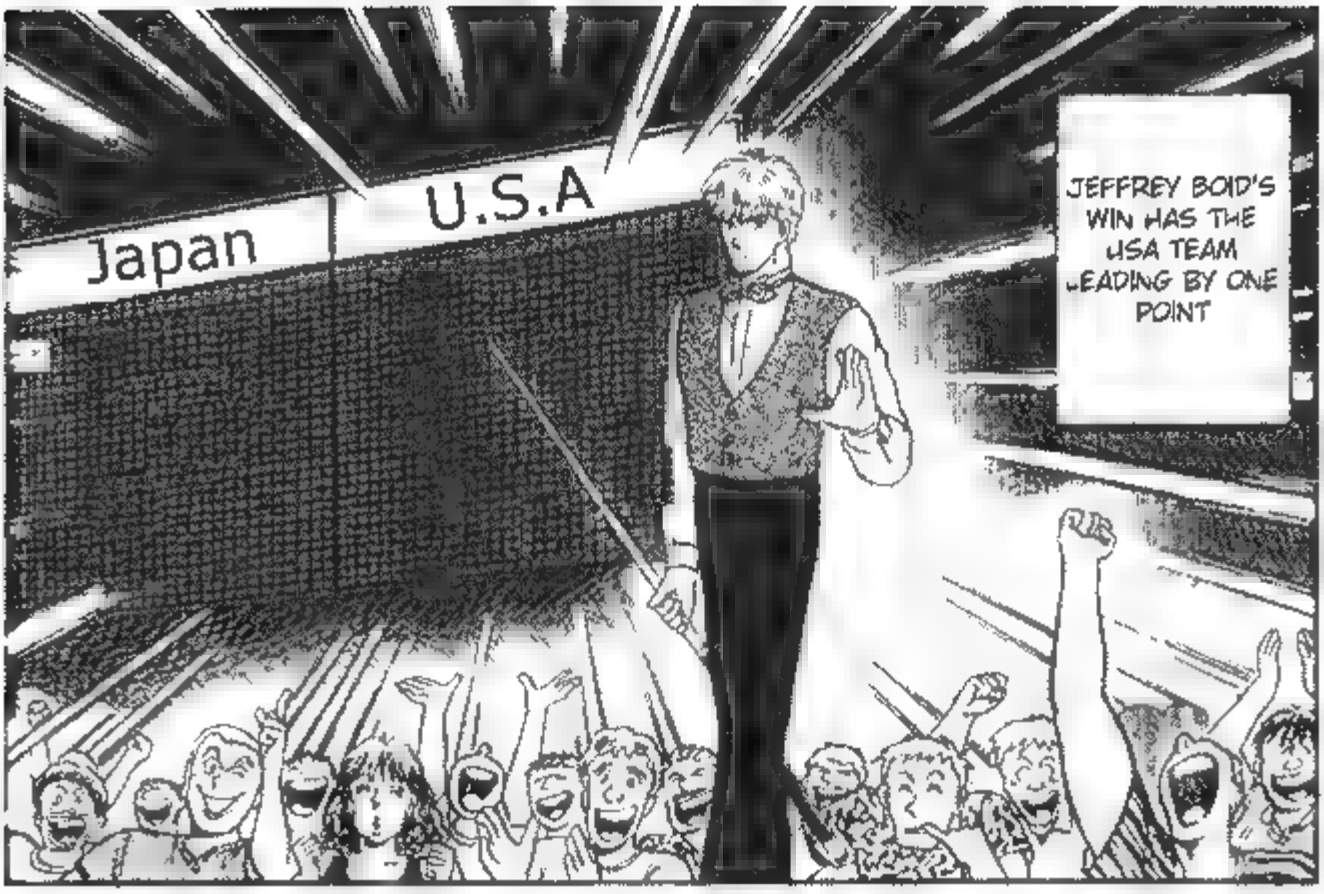

IT'S JUST A COINCIDENCE TO HAVE THAT TARGET BALL POCKETED
FIFTH BALL'S IN!
WHAT HAPPENED TO JEFFREY'S MIRACLE SHOT?


JEFFREY BOID HAS WON THE FIRST SET!
NINTH BALL'S IN!


A SMALL PART OF THE SECRET BEHIND HIS MIRACLE SHOT IS NOW REVEAL-ED
THIS ...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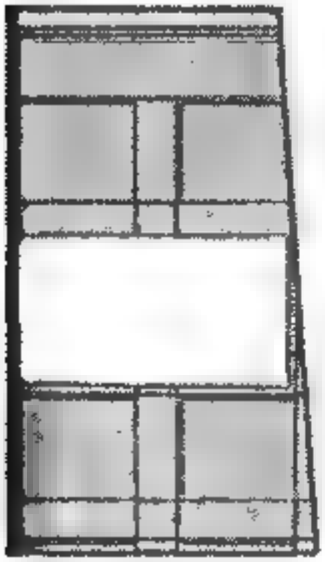
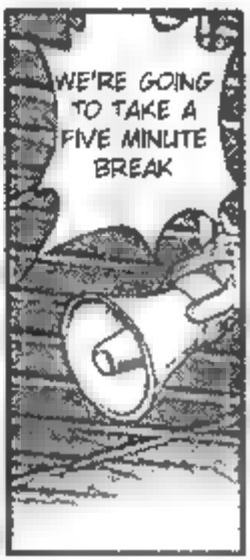
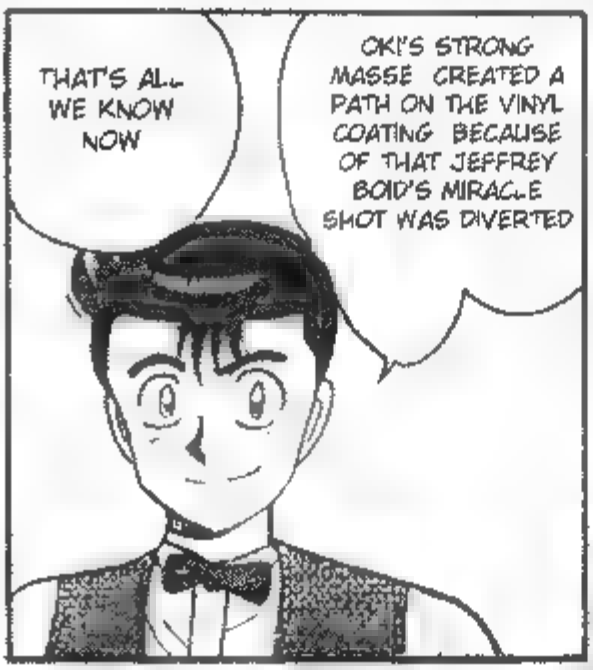
JEFFREY BOID'S WIN HAS THE USA TEAM LEADING BY ONE POINT



THAT'S ALRIGHT, OK.
I'M SORRY

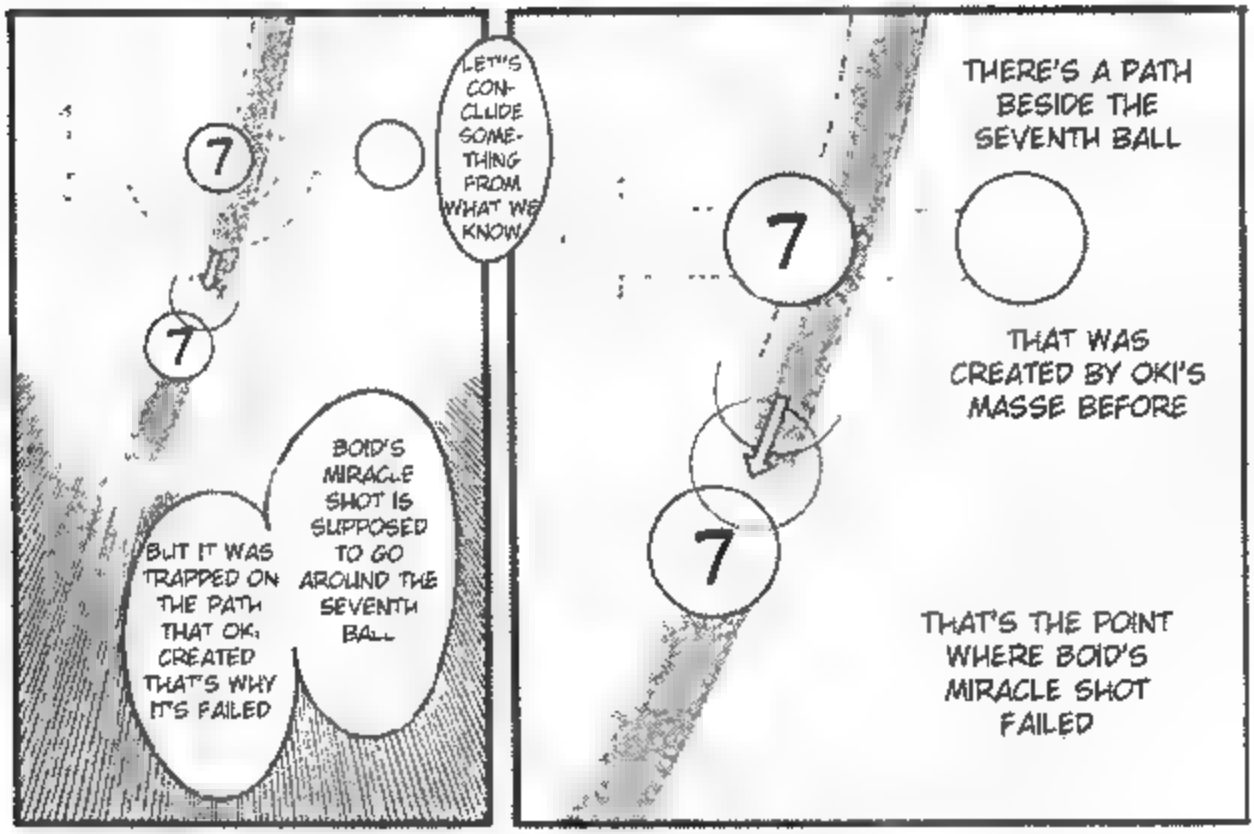

WE'RE GOING TO TAKE A FIVE MINUTE BREAK

SO THAT'S WHY YOU INSISTED OKI KEEP ATTACKING WITH HIS MASSE SHOT


THAT'S ALL WE KNOW NOW
OKI'S STRONG MASSE CREATED A PATH ON THE VINYL COATING BECAUSE OF THAT JEFFREY BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT WAS DIVERTED

BUT I ONLY DIVERTED HIS SURE SHOT

DID YOU TAKE A GOOD LOOK AT HIS SURE SHOT?
YES
WHEN IT WAS ABOUT TO GO THROUGH THE SEVENTH BALL, IT FELL ON THE PATH THAT WAS CREATED BY OKI'S MASSE


THERE'S A PATH BESIDE THE SEVENTH BALL
THAT WAS CREATED BY OKI'S MASSE BEFORE
THAT'S THE POINT WHERE BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT FAILED
LET'S CONCLUDE SOMETHING FROM WHAT WE KNOW
BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT IS SUPPOSED TO GO AROUND THE SEVENTH BALL
BUT IT WAS TRAPPED ON THE PATH THAT OKI CREATED THAT'S WHY IT'S FAILED
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7
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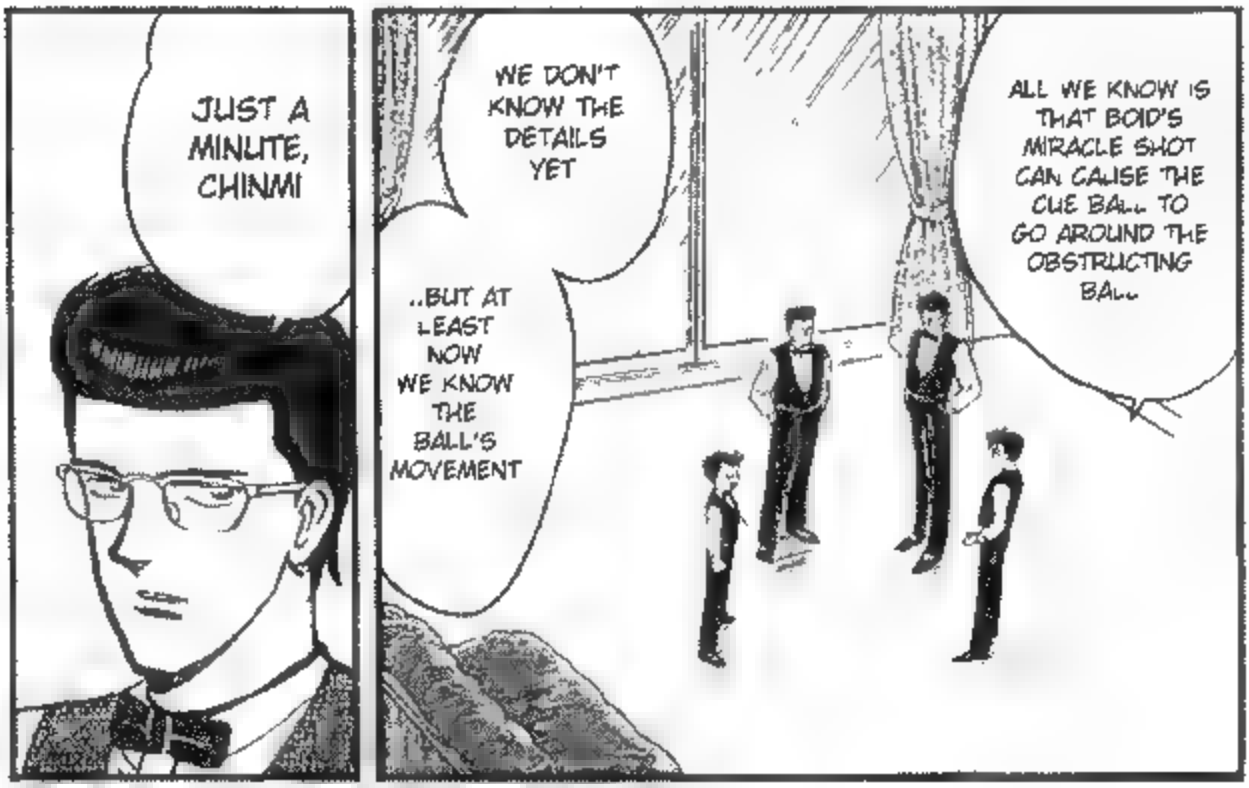
ALL WE KNOW IS THAT BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT CAN CAUSE THE CUE BALL TO GO AROUND THE OBSTRUCTING BALL
WE DON'T KNOW THE DETAILS YET
..BUT AT LEAST NOW WE KNOW THE BALL'S MOVEMENT
JUST A MINUTE, CHINMI

YES...
RYOJI, DO YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO ADD?
YOU SAID THAT BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT WAS DIVERTED BY THE PATH THAT OK! CREATED, RIGHT?
THAT'S WHY IT'S DIRECTION CHANGED
YES
7
CUE BALL
DID YOU KNOW THAT THERE'S ANOTHER PATH THAT WAS BLOCKING HIS MIRACLE SHOT?
IT'S LOCATED BETWEEN THE CUE BALL AND THE SEVENTH BALL
WHAT..?!

WHAT'S YOUR POINT?
AND THAT CAUSED THE CUE BALL TO CHANGE ITS DIRECTION
BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT WAS DIVERTED
YOUR THEORY STATED THAT BECAUSE OF THE PATH CREATED BY OKI,
THEN THE CUE BALL NEVER TOUCH THE VINYL COATING UNTIL IT REACHED THE BLOCKING BALL!
WE KNOW THAT BOID TOOK A STRAIGHT PATH FOR HIS MIRACLE SURE SHOT. IF WE USE YOUR THEORY...
7
TARGET BALL
CUE BALL
A JUMP BALL?

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JEFFREY BOID'S
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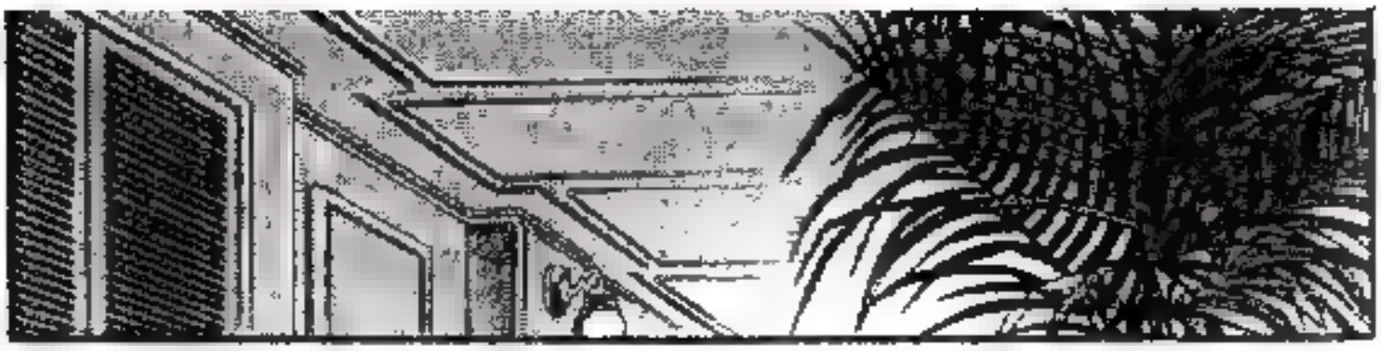
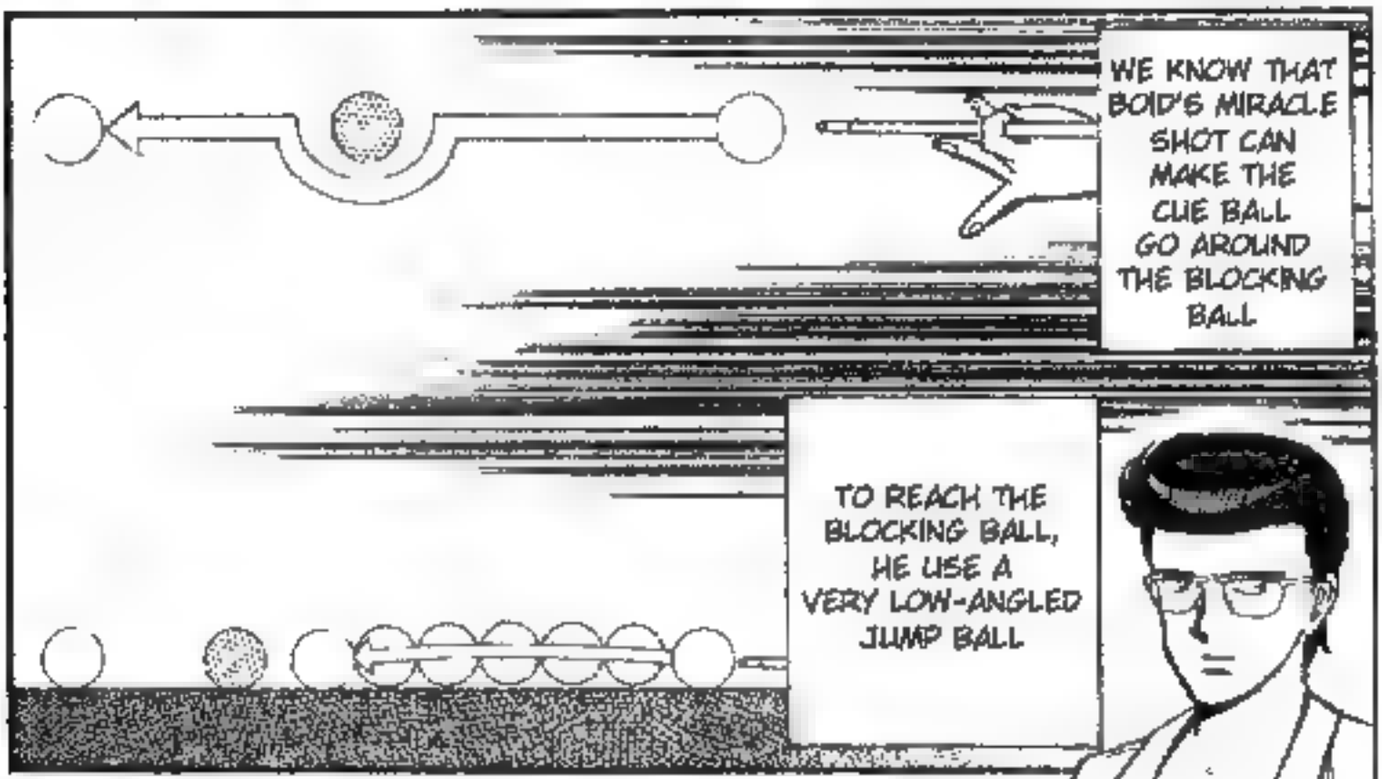
BECAUSE OF
THIS TOURNAMENT



WE HAVE TO FIND OUT THE SECRET BEHIND HIS MIRACLE SHOT SO THAT WE CAN BEAT HIM

JEFFREY BOID'S MIRACLE SURE SHOT IS FAMOUS
YEAH, EVEN THE PAPERS HAVE STATED THAT IT WILL LEAD THE USA TEAM TO VICTORY


WE KNOW THAT BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT CAN MAKE THE CUE BALL GO AROUND THE BLOCKING BALL
TO REACH THE BLOCKING BALL, HE USE A VERY LOW-ANGLED JUMP BALL

THERE'S NOTHING STRANGE WITH THE WAY HE HITS THE BALL
..
SO HOW CAN HE DO THAT?

I HAVEN'T SEEN YOU FOR A WHILE. WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?

ROGER MOUBIL

HI GUYS, HOW ARE YOU DOING?

SO I WENT TO THE BEACH TO LOOK AT THE GIRLS INSTEAD

I CAN'T DECIDE WHETHER I SHOULD SUPPORT JAPAN OR USA

HERE.. THIS MIGHT PROVE USEFUL

WHAT IS THAT?

REALLY? AND HOW'RE YOU GOING TO DO THAT?

THE TRUTH IS I'M HERE TO HELP YOU GUYS

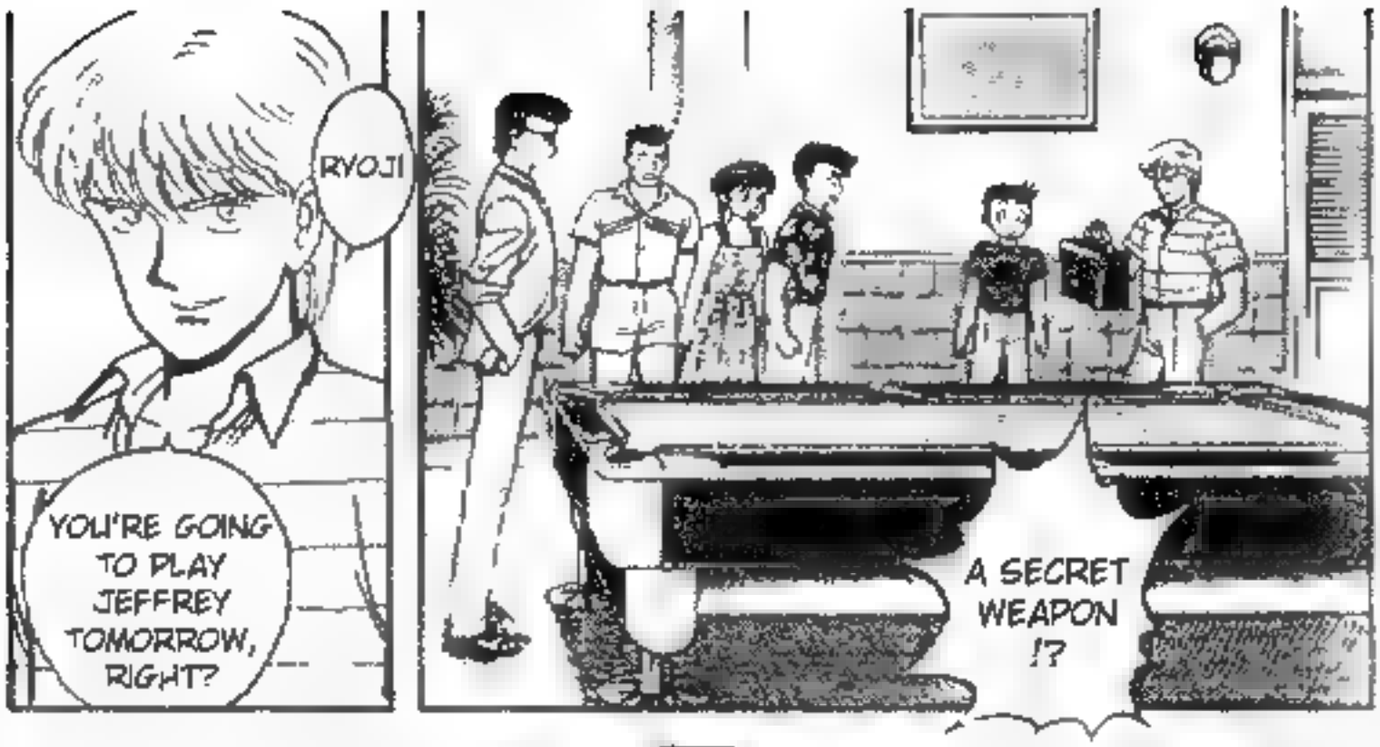
YOU BETTER NOT BETRAY US!

YOU.. HOW COULD YOU!

HA HA HA HA. YOU'VE GOT ME, OK!

THIS IS MY SECRET WEAPON

I'M GOING TO USE THIS TO REVEAL THE SECRET OF MIRACLE SHOT


RYOJI
YOU'RE GOING TO PLAY JEFFREY TOMORROW, RIGHT?
A SECRET WEAPON !?

I ALREADY HAVE TWO STRAIGHT WINS SO FAR
I DON'T INTEND TO BREAK IT TOMORROW
YES.. I CAN WIN THAT GAME IF I DON'T MAKE A MISTAKE

THE THIRD DAY
WHISTLE...
YEAH..
WOW..
WITH A TIE SCORE, THE THIRD DAY'S MATCHES OF THE JAPAN-USA HIGH SCHOOL BILLIARDS TOURNAMENT WILL STILL BE A HOT BATTLE BETWEEN THE TWO

GO JEFFREY !
YEAH!!
FROM USA IS JEFFREY BOID
WOW..
AND FROM JAPAN IS RYOJI

WHAT KIND OF GAME WILL THEY SHOW US?
UNTIL NOW, BOTH PLAYERS HAVE ALREADY WON TWO TIMES

DON'T GIVE UP, RYOJI!

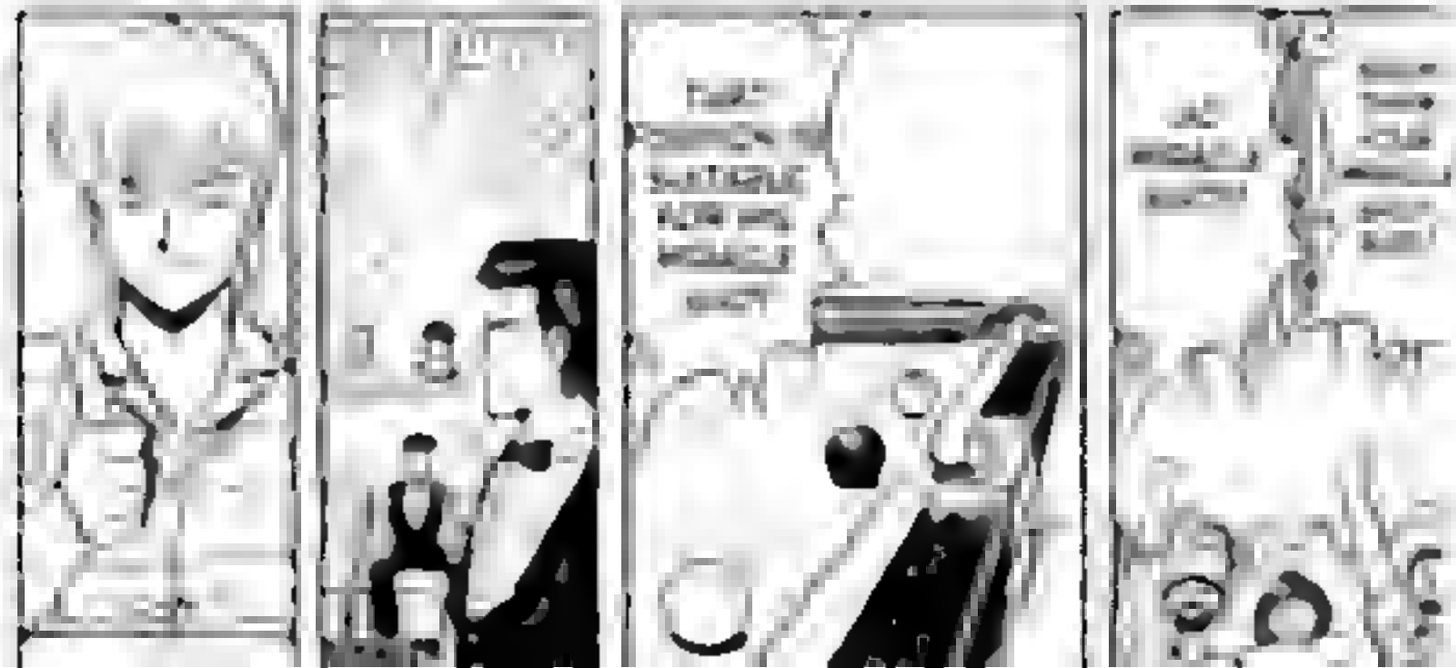
TODAY I WILL REVEAL IT WITH MY SHOTGUN SHOT
REALLY? I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE IT
I HEARD THAT YOUR SPECIALTY IS THE SHOTGUN SHOT
WHY HAVEN'T YOU USED IT YET?
I ALREADY KNOW THE BASICS OF YOUR MIRACLE SHOT
ALL-RIGHT
THIS IS A GOOD PLACE TO USE IT
CAN I SIT HERE?
ROGER
LOOK, RYOJI HAS WON THE BANKING
I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE THIS BABY IN ACTION

I WON'T GIVE HIM A CHANCE
WHAT'S HE GOING TO DO NEXT?
WITH HIS BREAK SHOT, RYOJI HAS POCKETED FOUR BALLS
IS HE GOING TO USE HIS SHOTGUN SHOT?
JUST A LITTLE MORE AND I'LL WIN THIS GAME
NO WAY! THE TARGET BALL IS BROKEN INTO PIECES
THACK
THWACK

RYOJI HAS WON THE FIRST SET WITH HIS SHOTGUN SHOT
NINTH BALL'S IN!
THACK
THACK
COOL!
I NEVER KNEW THAT JAPANESE PLAYERS COULD HAVE A DEVASTATING SHOT LIKE THAT
AMAZING!
THACK
THE SECOND SET
THWACK!!
OH!
CLICK
THACK
HE FAILED!

FAILED TO
POCKET THE
NINTH BALL

WOW...
YEAH...

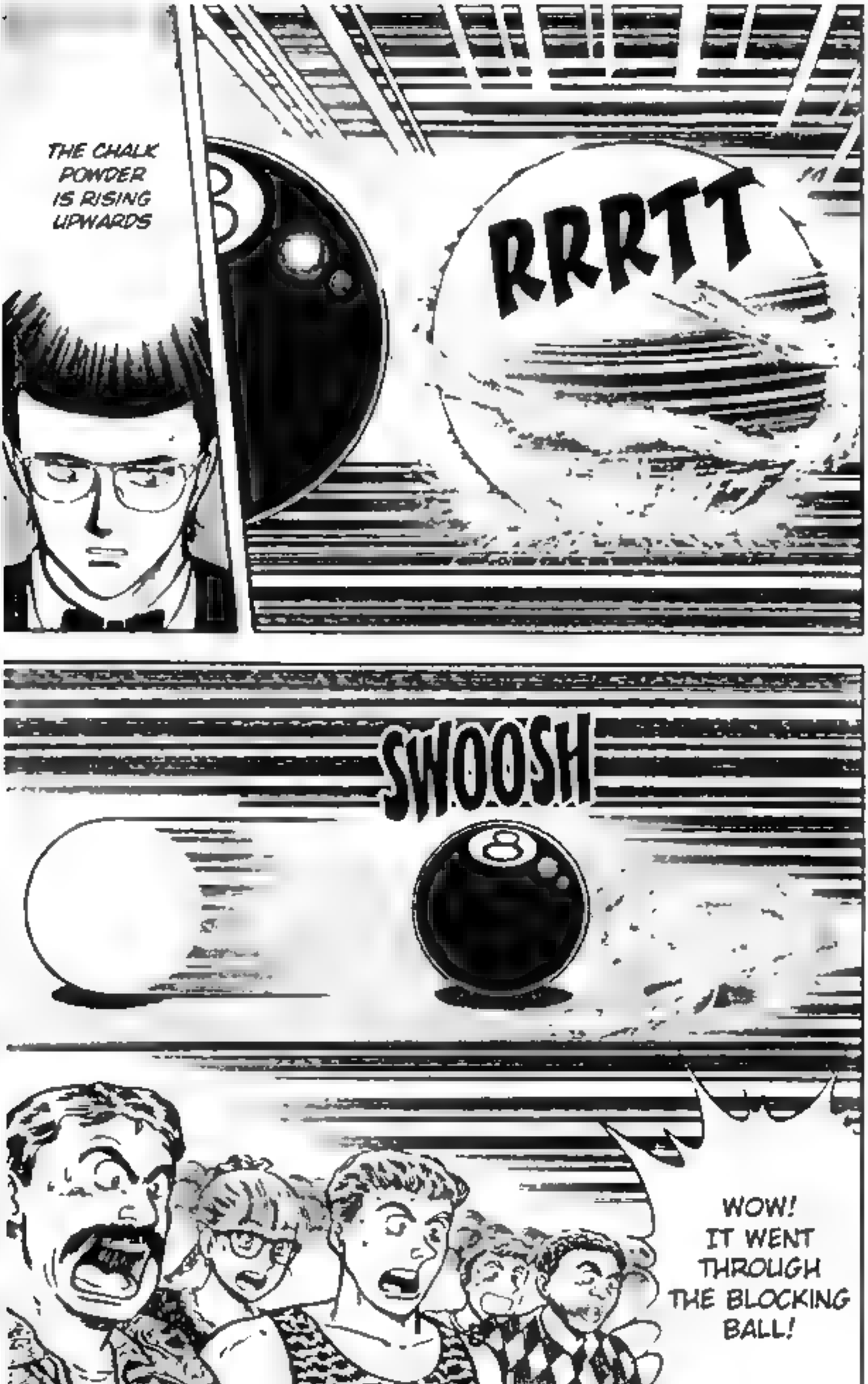


THIS IS A SPEED GUN... IT CAN MEASURE THE SPEED OF AN OBJECT FROM FAR AWAY
ALL-RIGHT, NOW'S THE TIME TO USE THIS BABY
WHAT IS THAT?
I WILL. I DON'T WANT TO DISAPPOINT MY FANS
WHY DON'T YOU SHOW ME YOUR MIRACLE SHOT, BOID?
IT WON'T CHANGE ANYTHING
NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES YOU RUB THAT CHALK,
THAT'S WHAT I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR
COME ON! SHOW US YOUR MIRACLE SHOT
TCHK
TCHK
JEFFREY'S READY TO MAKE HIS SHOT

THWACK

IT'S BEEN HIT!

IS IT REALLY A JUMP BALL? IT'S SO LOW!


THE CHALK POWDER IS RISING UPWARDS
RRRTT
SWOOSH
WOW! IT WENT THROUGH THE BLOCKING BALL!

WHISTLE..

WHISTLE..

YOU DID IT! GO MIRACLE SURE SHOT!

THACK

SIXTH BALL'S IN!

THACK

THIS ...

THIS CAN'T BE...

W... WHAT IS THIS?

!!!

WHAT'S THE SPEED, ROGER?

JEFFREY BOID'S RECORD IS NOW 3 WINS AND 0 LOSSES AND RYOJI NOW HAS 1 LOSS

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ON THE THIRD DAY, THE JAPAN TEAM WON A GAME THANKS TO CHINMI, BUT THEY ARE STILL BEHIND THE USA TEAM 7-5

RESULTS OF THE THIRD DAY

RYOJI X - O J. BOID

OKI X - O H. JAMES

AONO X - O M. STONE

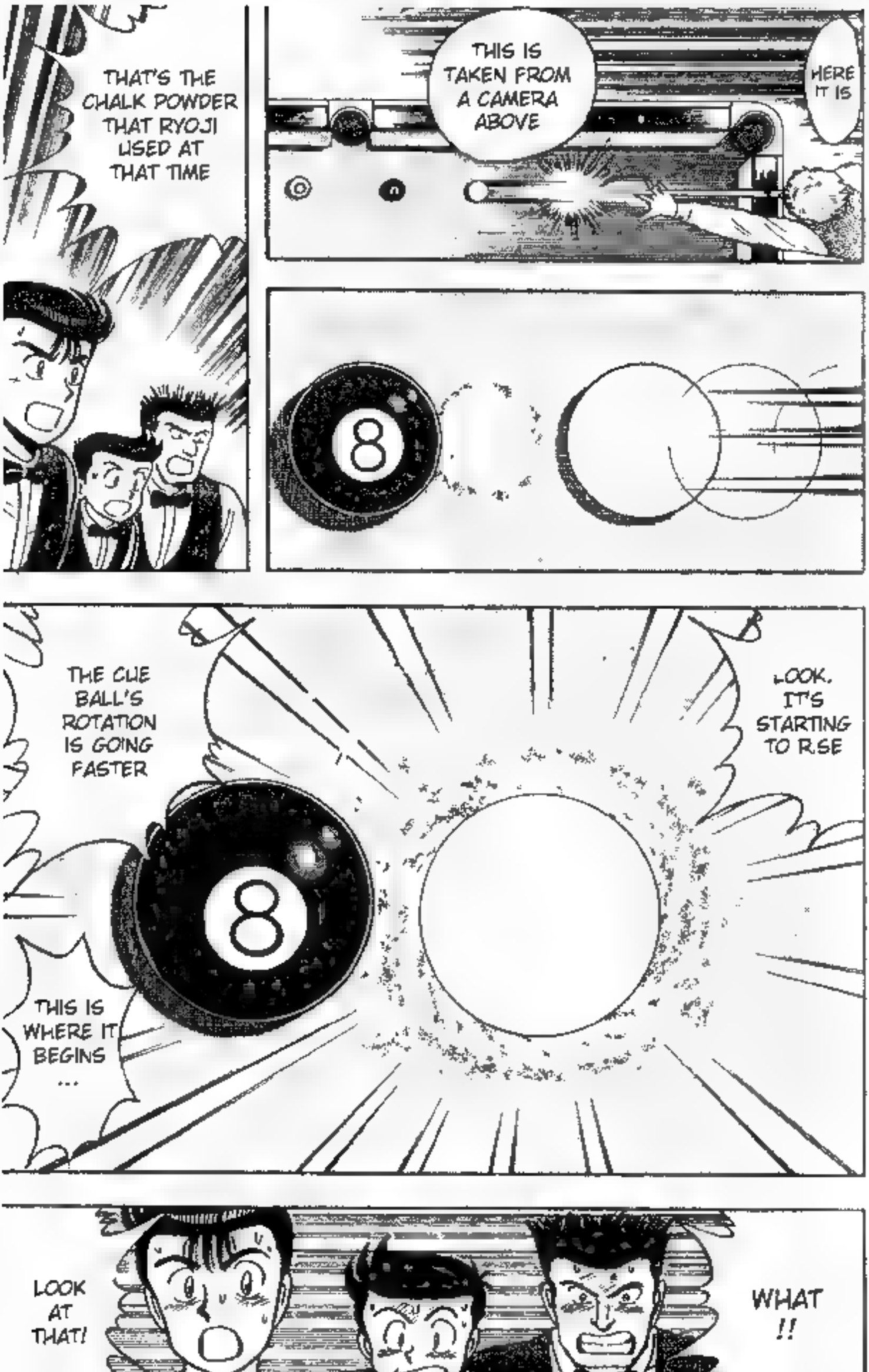
CHINMI O - X S. HEIGAR

WELL ROGER, DID YOU FIND ANYTHING?
THE SPEED OF THE CUE BALL BEFORE AND AFTER IT WENT THROUGH THE EIGHTH BALL IS ....
I DON'T THINK YOU'LL BELIEVE IT

NOTES: SHINKASEN IS A HIGH-SPEED TRAIN THAT'S USED IN JAPAN AS A MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION

*210KM/H IS APPROXIMATELY EQUAL TO 140MPH

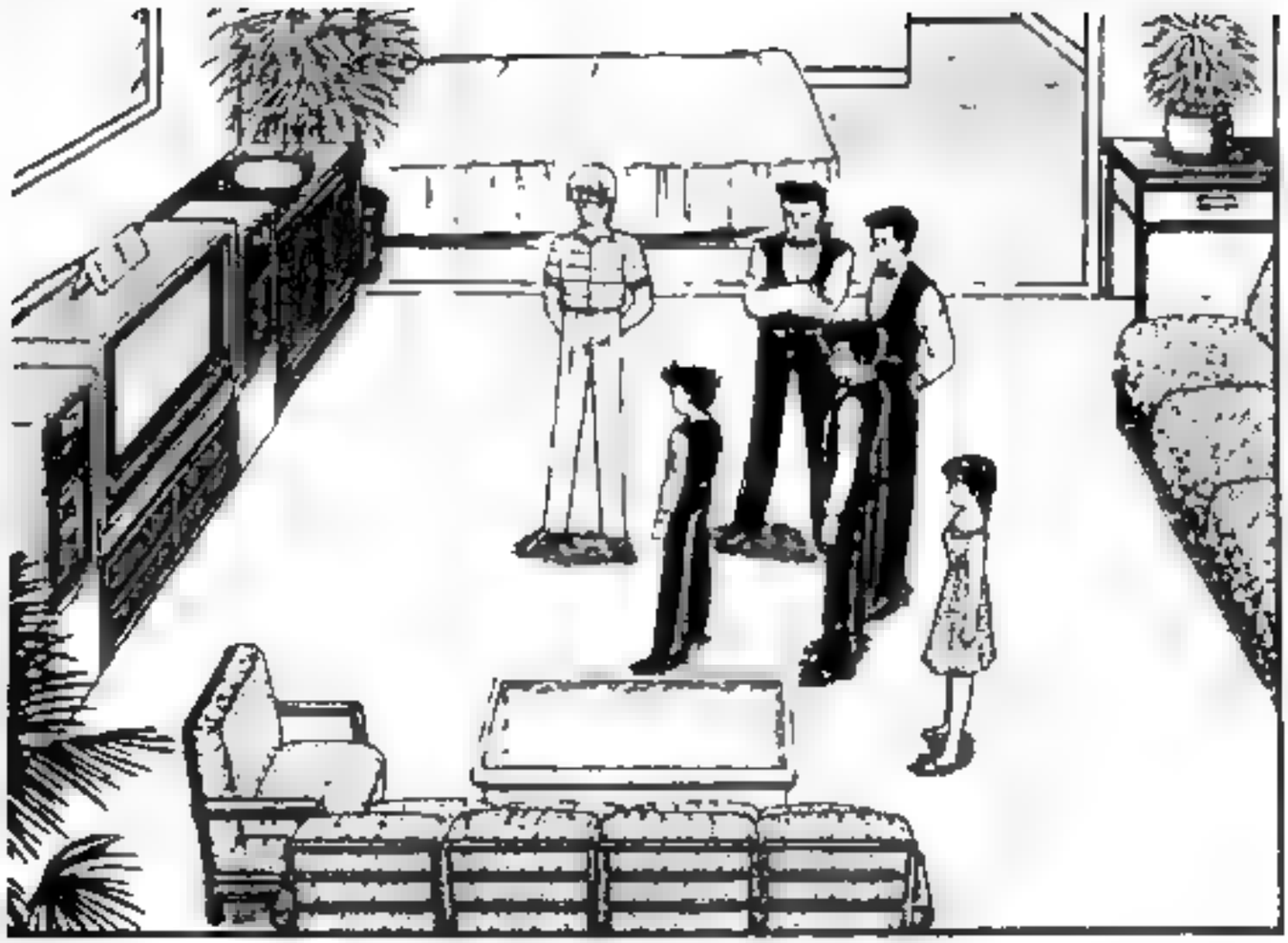
THE RESULT IS AN OPTICAL ILLUSION THAT SHOWS ONLY THE START AND END POSITION OF THE OBJECT
AT 4-5 TIMES OF A REGULAR SHOT SPEED, HUMAN EYES CAN'T FOLLOW IT
THAT'S CORR-ECT
THE CUE BALL GOES AROUND THE EIGHT BALL AT SUCH A HIGH SPEED THAT MADE US THINK IT WENT THROUGH
THIS OPTICAL ILLUSION... IS IT THE SAME THING THAT HAPPENS WHEN WE MOVE A FINGER QUICKLY LIKE THIS?
AND HOW DID THE CUE BALL GO AROUND THE EIGHT BALL?
YOU THINK HE USED A MASSE ?
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO REACH THAT SPEED IN BILLIARDS
BUT 210 KM/H SPEED CAN ONLY BE GAINED IN SPORTS LIKE TENNIS OR BADMINTON
SO LET'S WATCH IT IN A SLOW REPLAY
THAT GAME WAS TAPED IN HIGH SPEED
PERHAPS THIS VIDEO CAN EXPLAIN IT

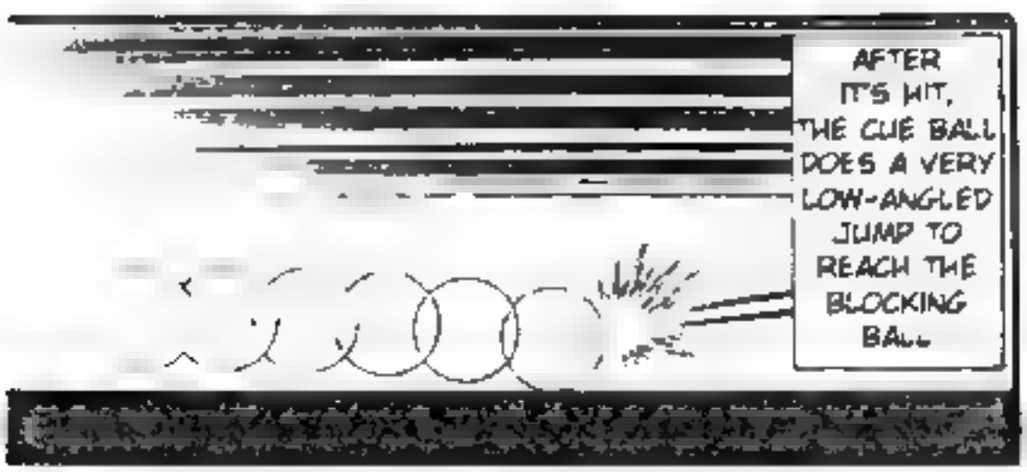

THAT'S THE CHALK POWDER THAT RYOJI USED AT THAT TIME
THIS IS TAKEN FROM A CAMERA ABOVE
HERE IT IS
8
THE CUE BALL'S ROTATION IS GOING FASTER
LOOK. IT'S STARTING TO RSE
8
THIS IS WHERE IT BEGINS ...
LOOK AT THAT!
WHAT !!

THERE'S AN AIR BARRIER FORMED AROUND THE CUE BALL

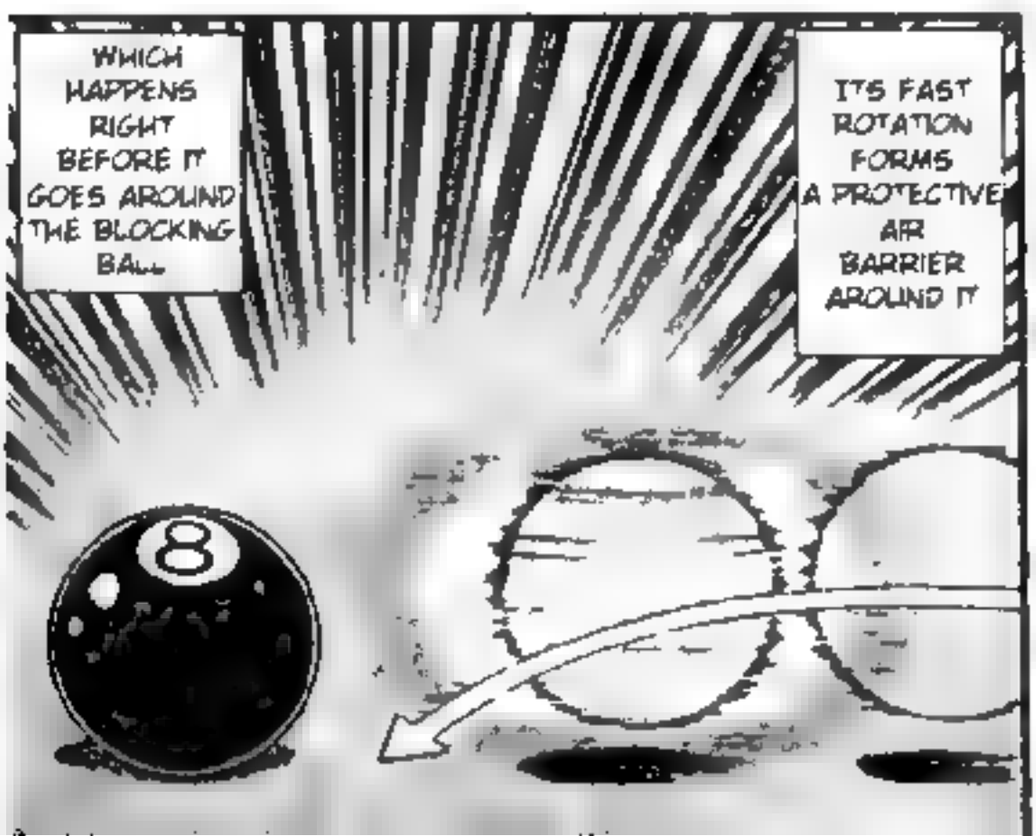
THE CUE BALL REALLY DIDN'T TOUCH THE BLOCKING BALL !

THAT FAST ROTATION CREATED A PROTECTIVE BARRIER AROUND THE CUE BALL




AFTER IT'S HIT, THE CUE BALL DOES A VERY LOW-ANGLED JUMP TO REACH THE BLOCKING BALL

LET'S GATHER THE FACTS THAT WE'VE KNOWN UNTIL NOW


WHICH HAPPENS RIGHT BEFORE IT GOES AROUND THE BLOCKING BALL
IT'S FAST ROTATION FORMS A PROTECTIVE AIR BARRIER AROUND IT
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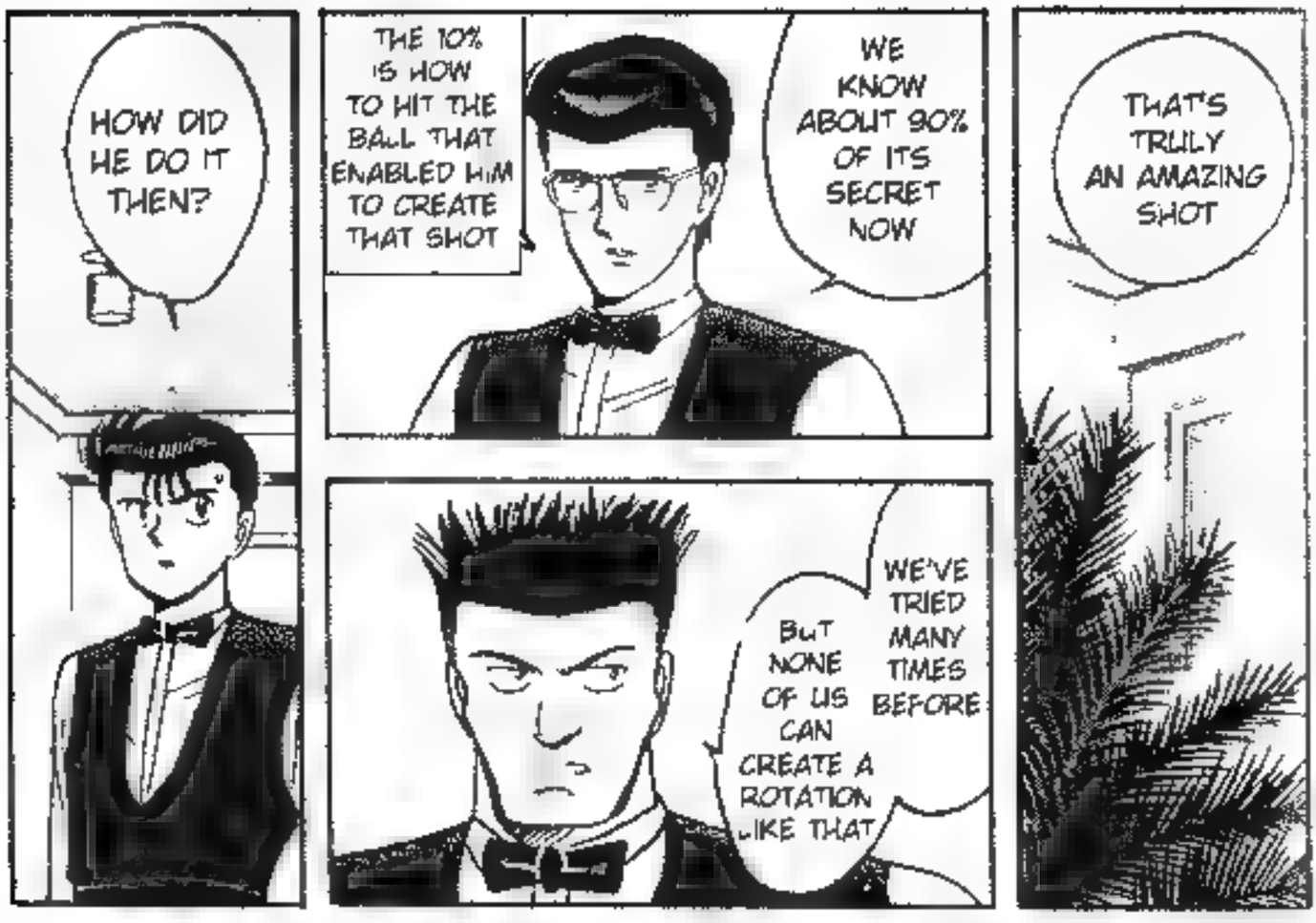
A HIGH SPEED

AND BECAUSE OF ITS HIGH SPEED ..

AS IF THE CUE BALL

THROUGH THE


HOW DID HE DO IT THEN?
THE 10% IS HOW TO HIT THE BALL THAT ENABLED HIM TO CREATE THAT SHOT
WE KNOW ABOUT 90% OF ITS SECRET NOW
THAT'S TRULY AN AMAZING SHOT
WE'VE TRIED MANY TIMES BEFORE
BUT NONE OF US CAN CREATE A ROTATION LIKE THAT

I ALSO DON'T SEE ANYTHING SPECIAL ON THE WAY HE HOLDS HIS CUE
IF WE LOOK AT THE ANGLE OF HIS CUE, IT'S NEITHER A MASSE NOR A JUMP BALL SHOT.. THE ANGLE IS FOR A REGULAR SHOT

I JUST REMEMBERED SOMETHING
WHAT IS IT, AONO?
UM ..

YEAH, JUST TELL US, AONO

ANY INFORMATION COULD PROVE USEFUL TO US RIGHT NOW

JUST TELL US

THAT'S NOT A USUAL CUE.. IT'S END IS MORE POINTED THAN A REGULAR ONE

HIS CUE...

CUE END

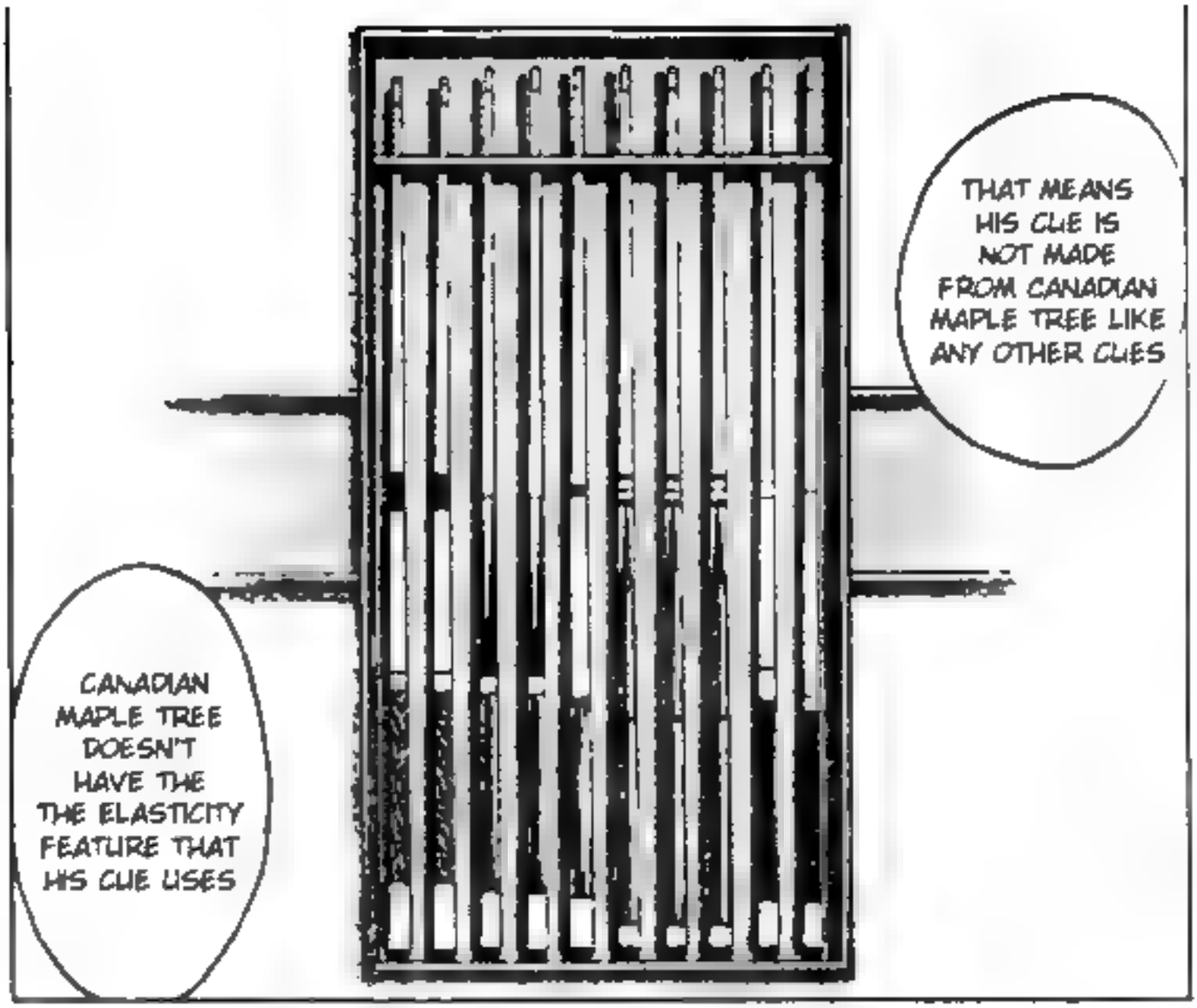
CUE

WHAT DO YOU MEAN IT'S MORE POINTED?

THE END SWERVES AROUND ACCORDING TO THE MOVEMENT OF HIS HAND

THAT'S RIGHT.. IT'S VERY UNUSUAL

AND WHEN HE PUTS CHALK ON IT...


CANADIAN MAPLE TREE DOESN'T HAVE THE THE ELASTICITY FEATURE THAT HIS CUE USES
THAT MEANS HIS CUE IS NOT MADE FROM CANADIAN MAPLE TREE LIKE ANY OTHER CUES

*WILLOW TREE HAS ELASTIC BRANCHES

AND THE BALL WILL ROTATE VERY FAST WHEN IT IS HIT

IT WILL MAKE AN ELASTIC CUE

BUT HOW CAN HE USE A WILLOW CUE? IT HAS A DRAWBACK OF LESS ACCURACY

IF HE USES A CANADIAN MAPLE CUE, IT WILL BE VERY HARD TO CREATE THAT KIND OF ROTATION

I GET IT

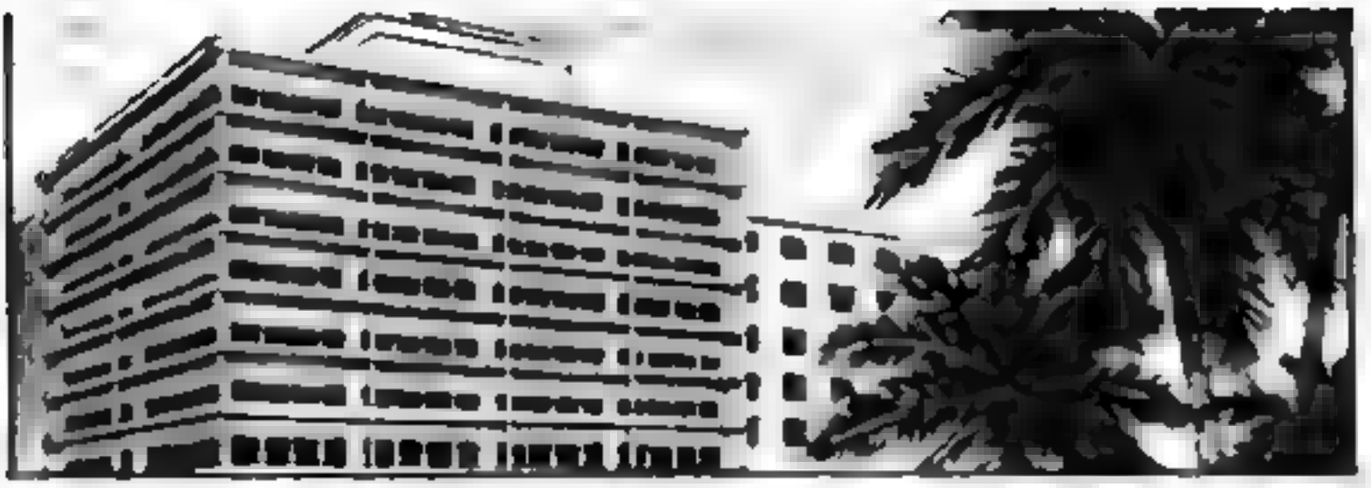
I KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT HIM THAT YOU PROBABLY HAVEN'T HEARD YET

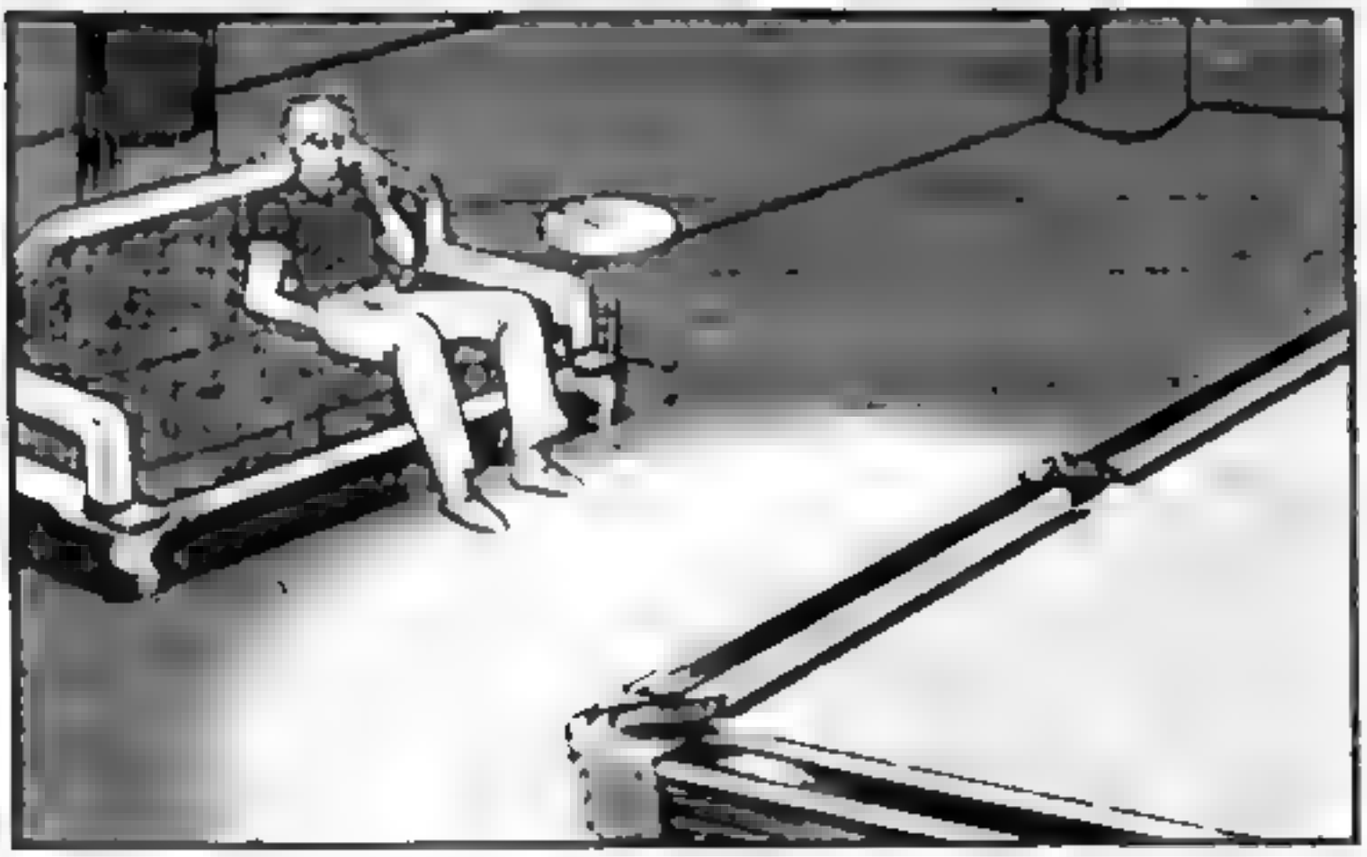
PERHAPS I CAN HELP YOU ON THAT

HE'S GOT TO HAVE A STRONG AND STABLE BRIDGE TO MAKE AN ACCURATE SHOT

I WONDER HOW HE PRACTICES TO MAKE THAT KIND OF BRIDGE ..

IF A STRONG BRIDGE IS NEEDED TO USE THAT CUE... THEN JEFFREY ALREADY PASSED THAT QUALIFICAT-IONS
THE TRUTH IS...
HIS LEFT HAND ....
WHAT ?!
THERE WAS AN ACCIDENT WITH HIS LEFT HAND
HIS INDEX FINGER IS CROOKED AND CAN'T MOVE AT ALL
THAT'S RIGHT ..
IT HAPPENED ABOUT A YEAR AGO
SINCE THEN, HIS FINGER HAS BEEN LIKE THAT
I BET HE'S USING IT NOW AS A BRIDGE FOR HIS MIRACLE SHOT
THAT'S ...
DO YOU KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TO HIM?
ROGER





JAKE

I'M GOING NOW, ALICE

I'M GOING TO WIN ALOT TODAY

HUMANS MUST WORK TO STAY ALIVE, YOU KNOW?!

YOU'RE GOING OUT AGAIN, BROTHER?

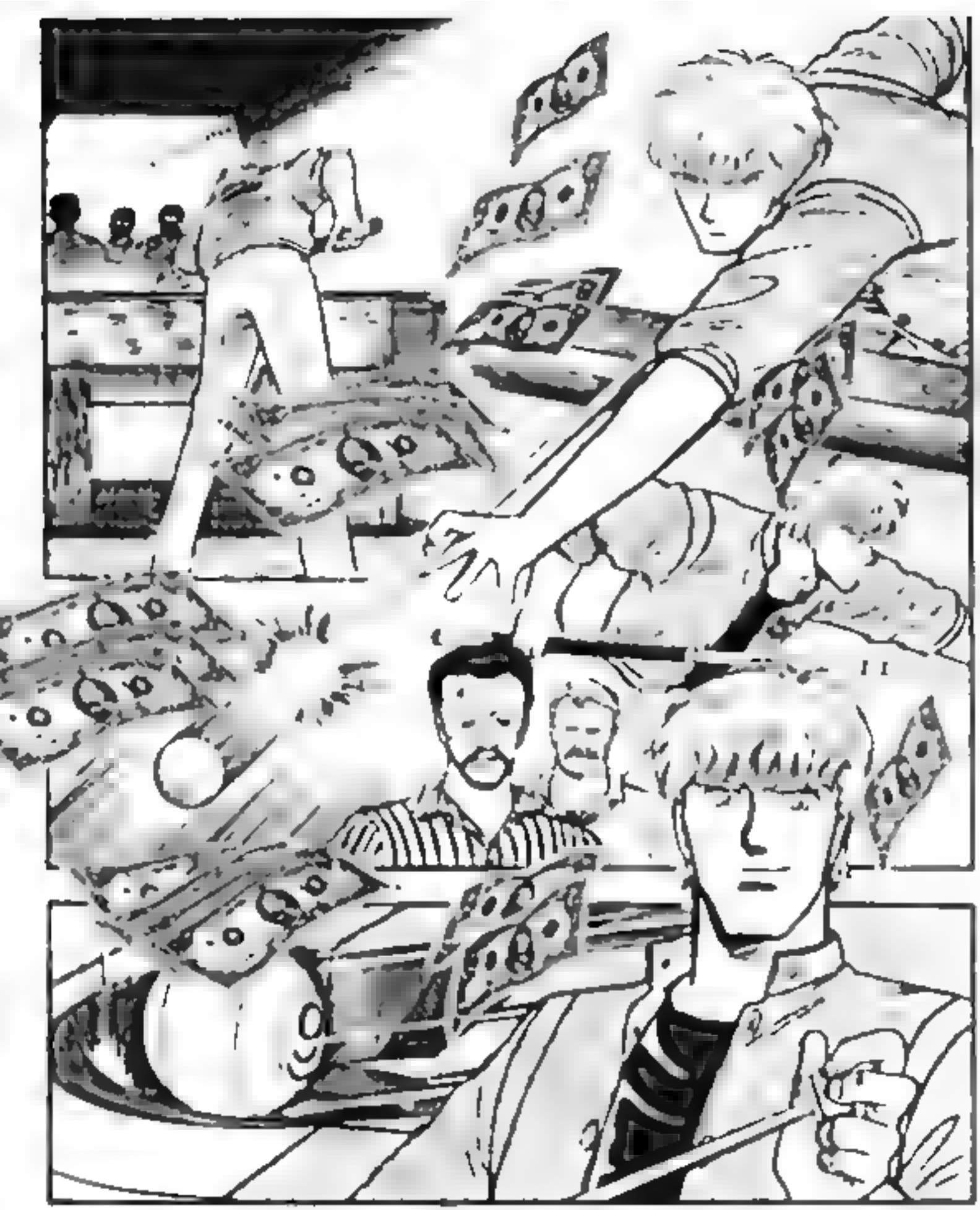
AND WHEN I COME HOME, I'LL BRING SOME PRESENTS FOR YOU

I'M GOING TO WIN

DON'T WORRY

I'LL BE ALRIGHT

YOU DON'T HAVE TO PUSH YOURSELF TOO HARD

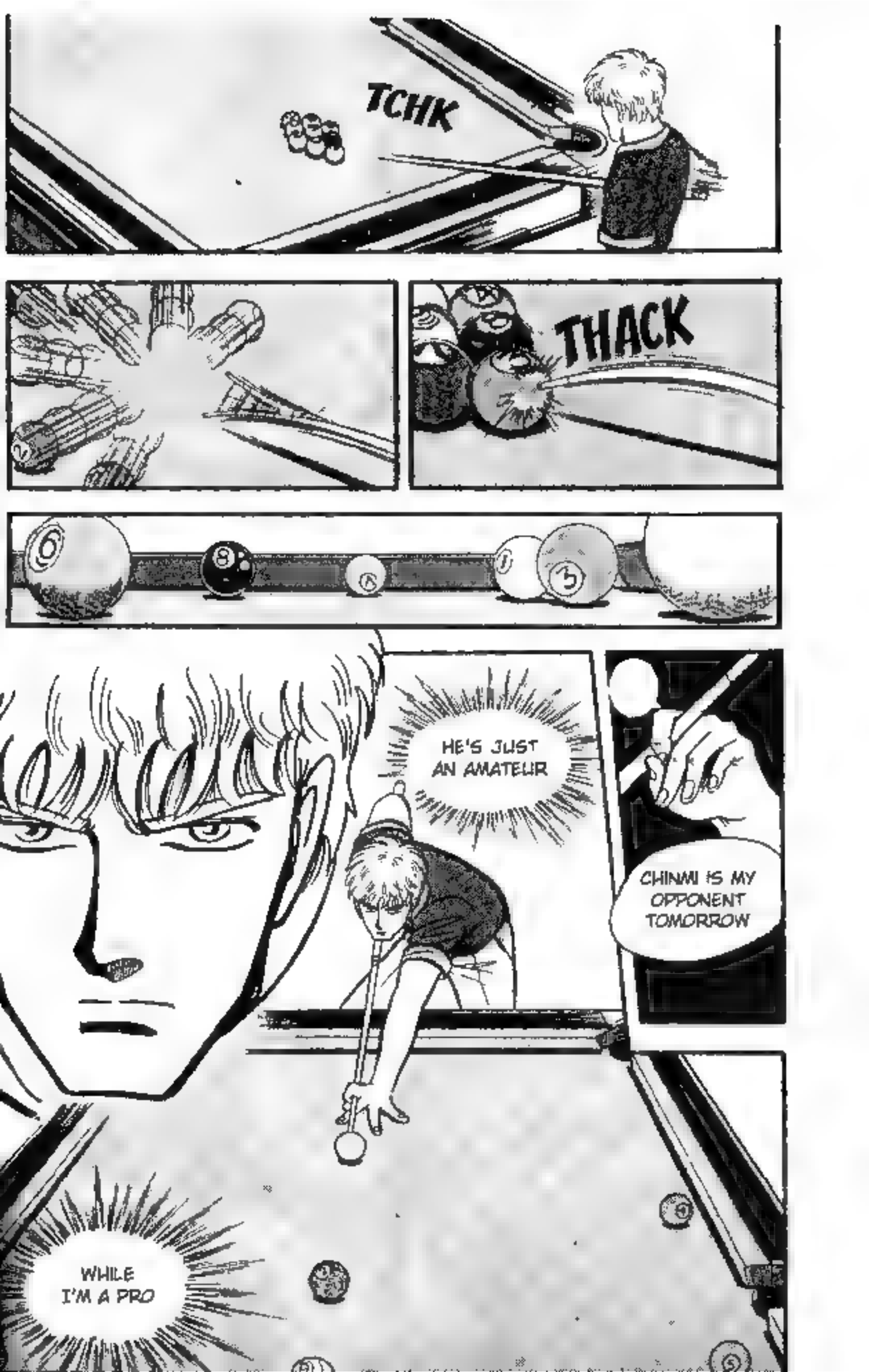


IT SEEMS THAT I DON'T HAVE ANY MORE DOCUMENTS I'LL BE GOING THEN
THAT'S FANTASTIC WAITING FOR ME TODAY

DID YOU THINK YOU COULD GO HOME THAT EASILY?
GRAB

AARGHH!!
EVER PLAY BILLIARDS AGAIN
YOU WILL NEVER..
N..NO! W.. WAIT!
CRRK
CRACK

THIS FINGER IS STILL CROOKED AFTER THAT INCIDENT
HAS IT BEEN ONE YEAR ALREADY?
THANKS TO THAT..
BUT...
GRAB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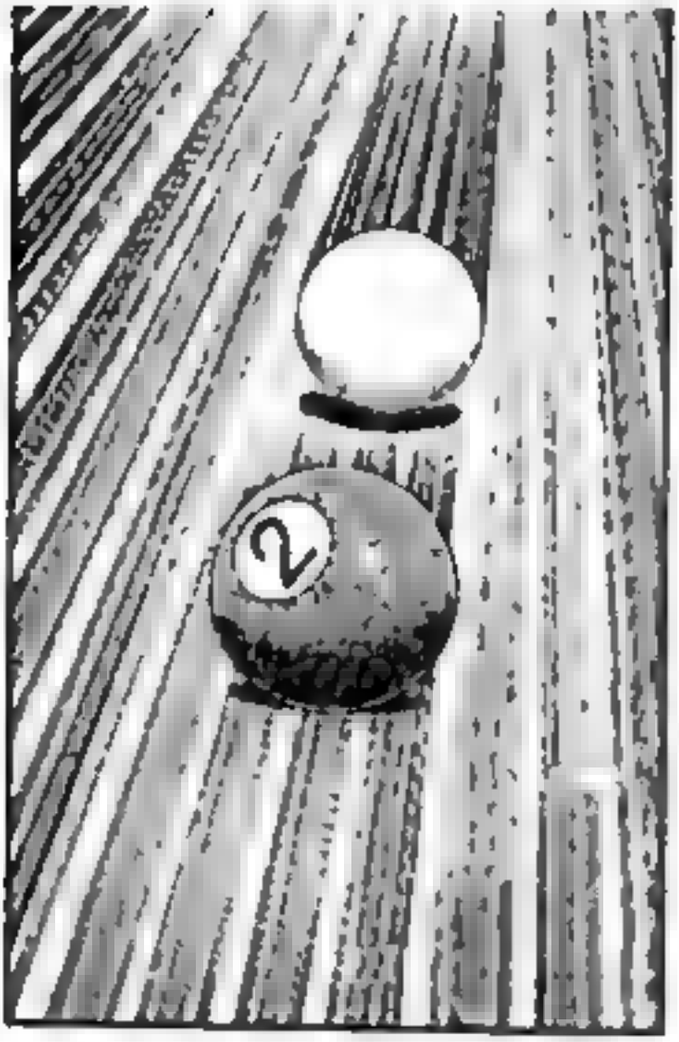
THACK
HE'S JUST AN AMATEUR
CHINMI IS MY OPPONENT TOMORROW
WHILE I'M A PRO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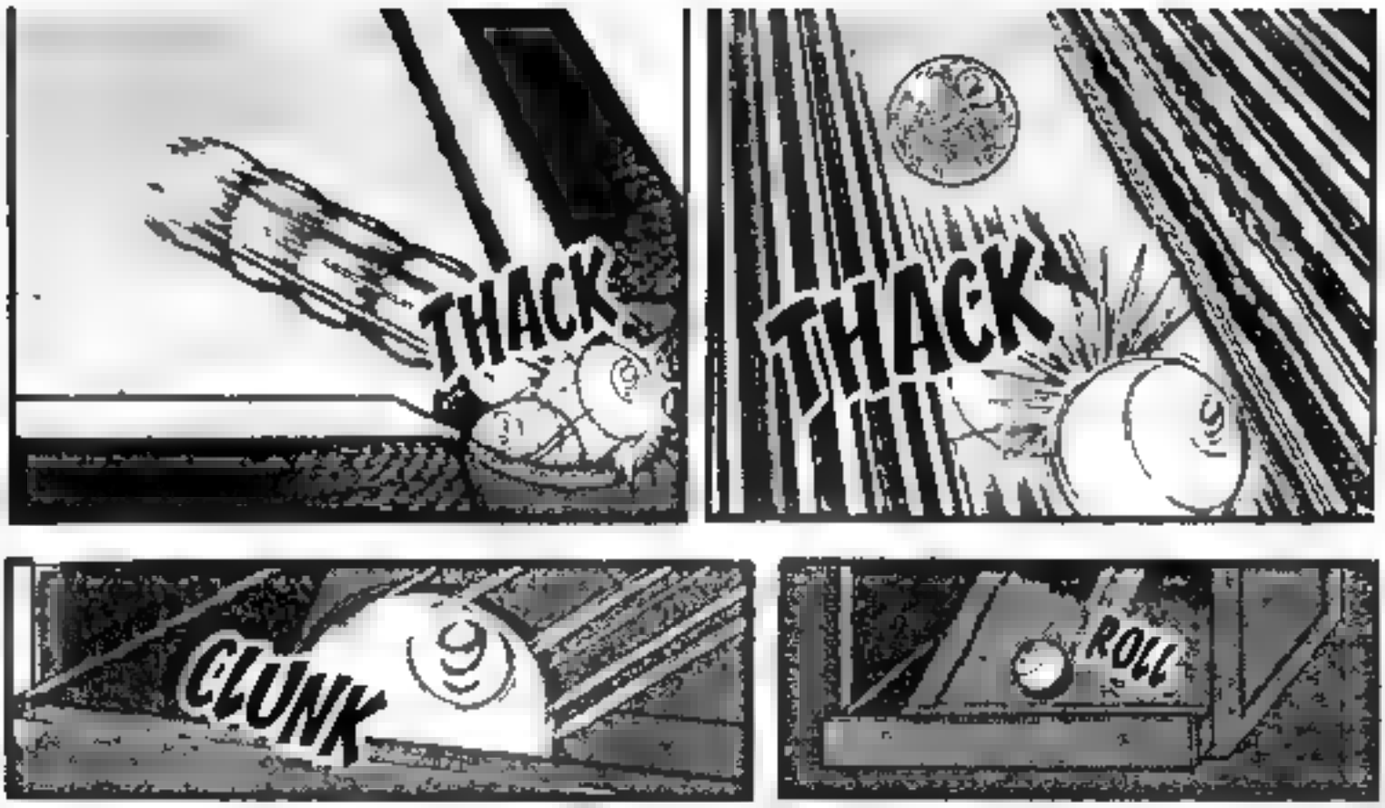
2
SWOOSH

THWACK

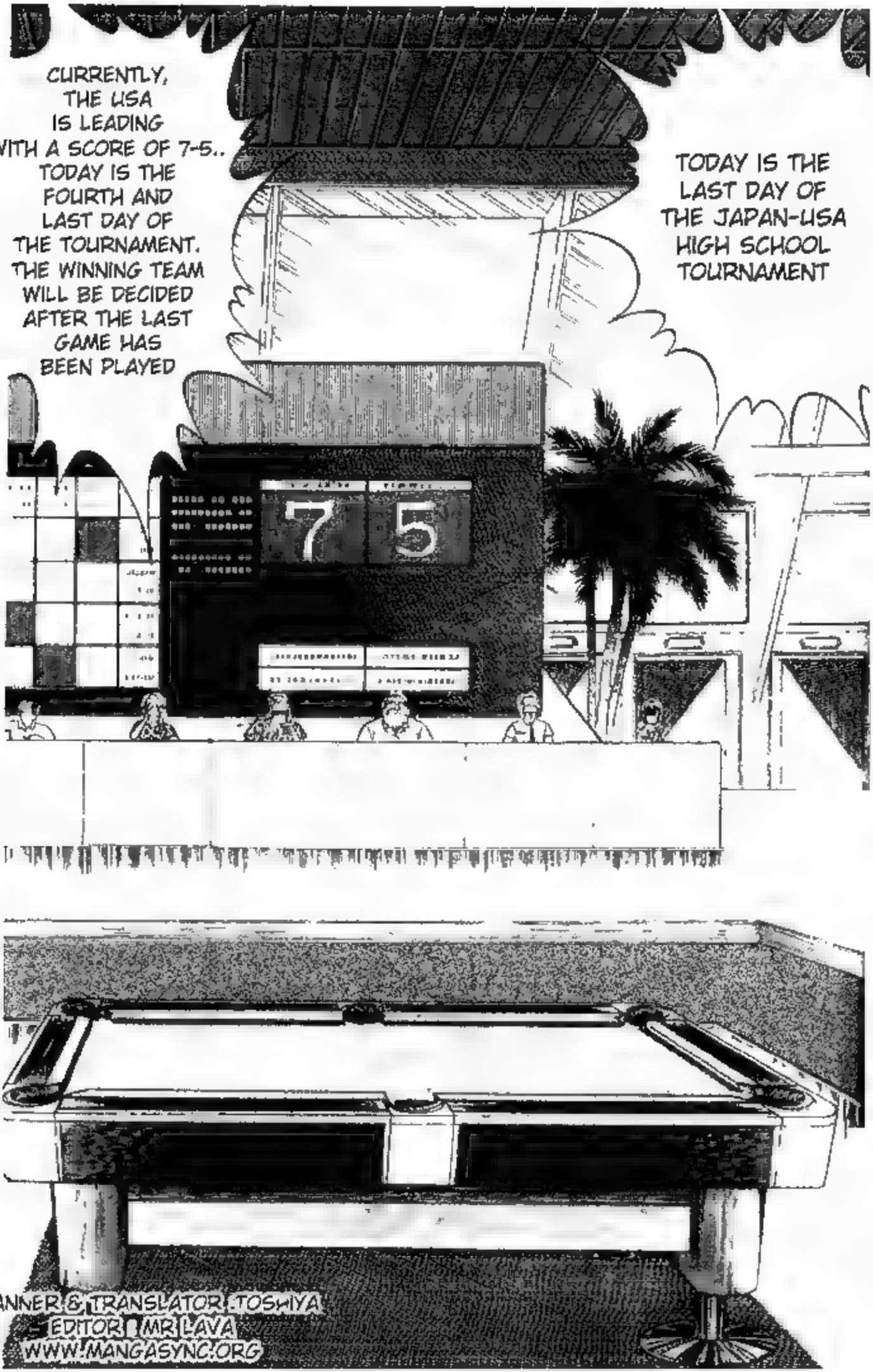

THACK
THACK
CLUNK
ROLL

THE ONE WHO'S GOING TO WIN IS ME AND THE USA TEAM!
TAKA

IF I CAN'T STOP IT, THEN I'M GOING TO LOSE!

THAT'S AN AMAZING SHOT ALRIGHT

JAPAN-USA 9-BALL BILLIARDS TOURNAMENT HAS REACHED THE FINAL DAY
THE TOURNAMENT WILL REACH ITS CLIMAX TODAY ON THE GAME BETWEEN CHIHIRI AND J. BOID
END OF BREAK SHOT VOL 3 PART


CURRENTLY, THE USA IS LEADING WITH A SCORE OF 7-5.. TODAY IS THE FOURTH AND LAST DAY OF THE TOURNAMENT. THE WINNING TEAM WILL BE DECIDED AFTER THE LAST GAME HAS BEEN PLAYED
TODAY IS THE LAST DAY OF THE JAPAN-USA HIGH SCHOOL TOURNAMENT
7
5

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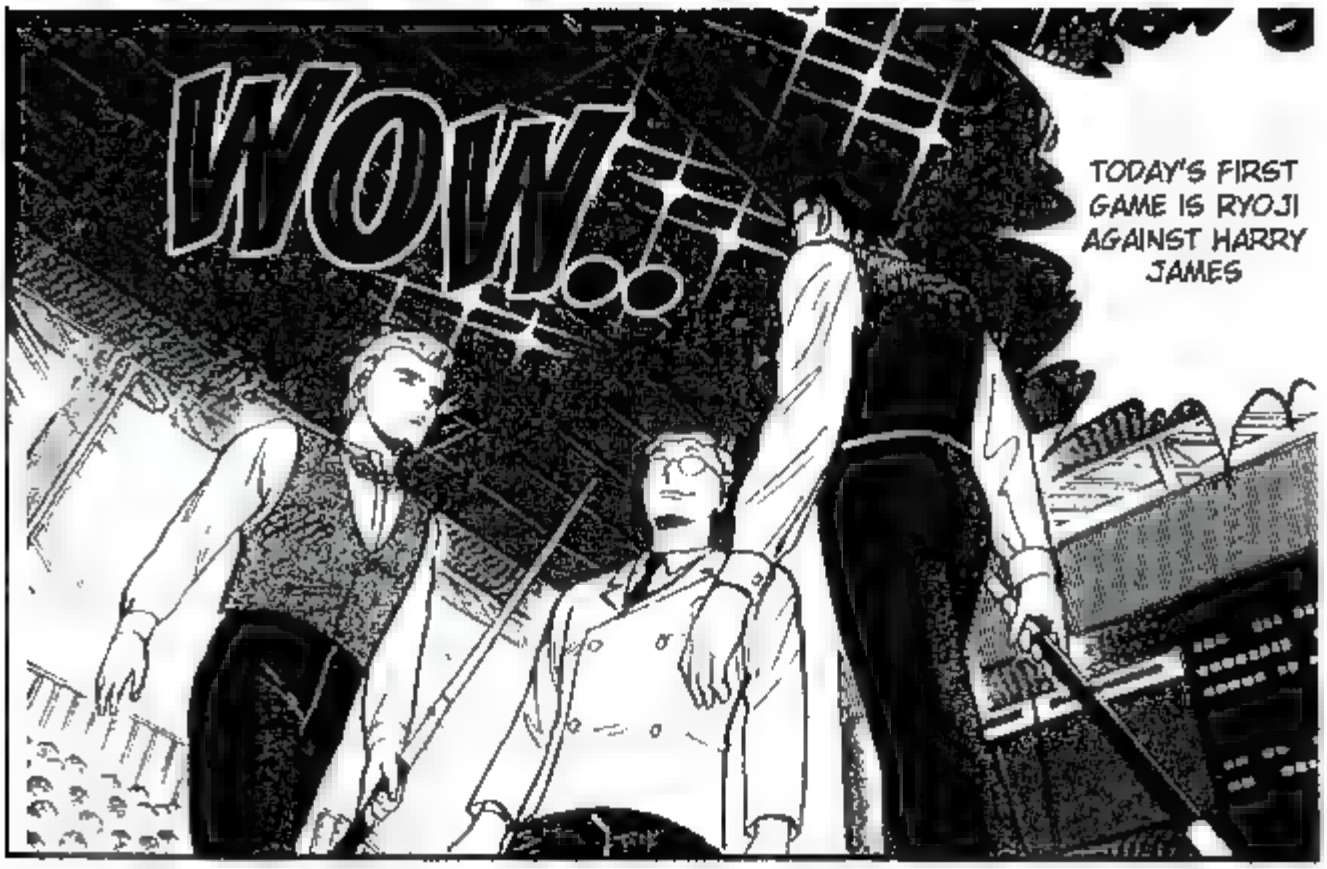
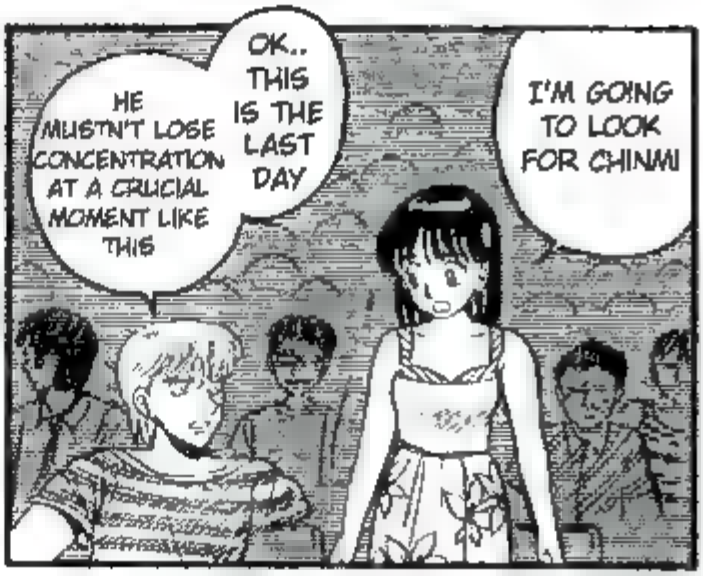
WHISTLE
WHISTLE
SHOW THEM YOUR POWER!
LONG LIVE AMERICA!
YOU CAN STILL WIN!
DON'T GIVE UP YET!
.....
HE STAYED UP LATE LAST NIGHT THINKING ABOUT HOW TO STOP BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT
YEAH..
I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM SINCE THIS MORNING
WHERE'S CHINMI?

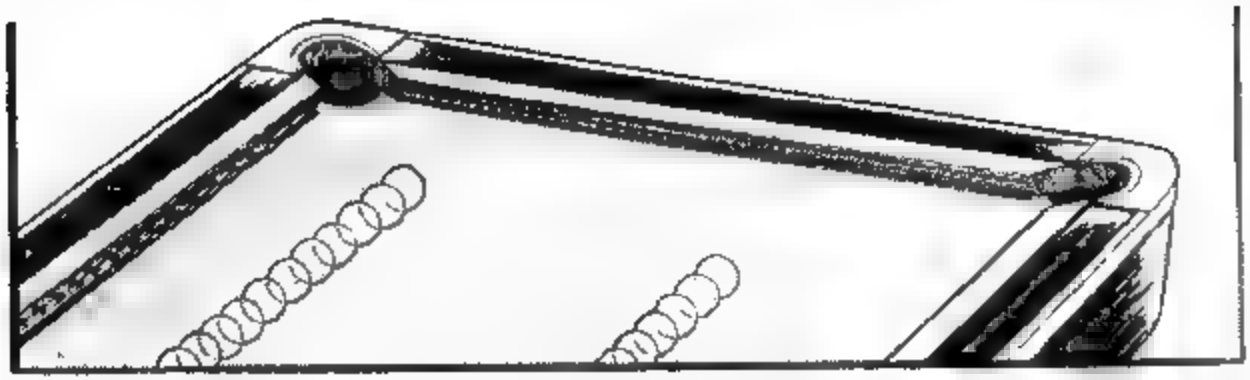

WOW..!!
TODAY'S FIRST GAME IS RYOJI AGAINST HARRY JAMES

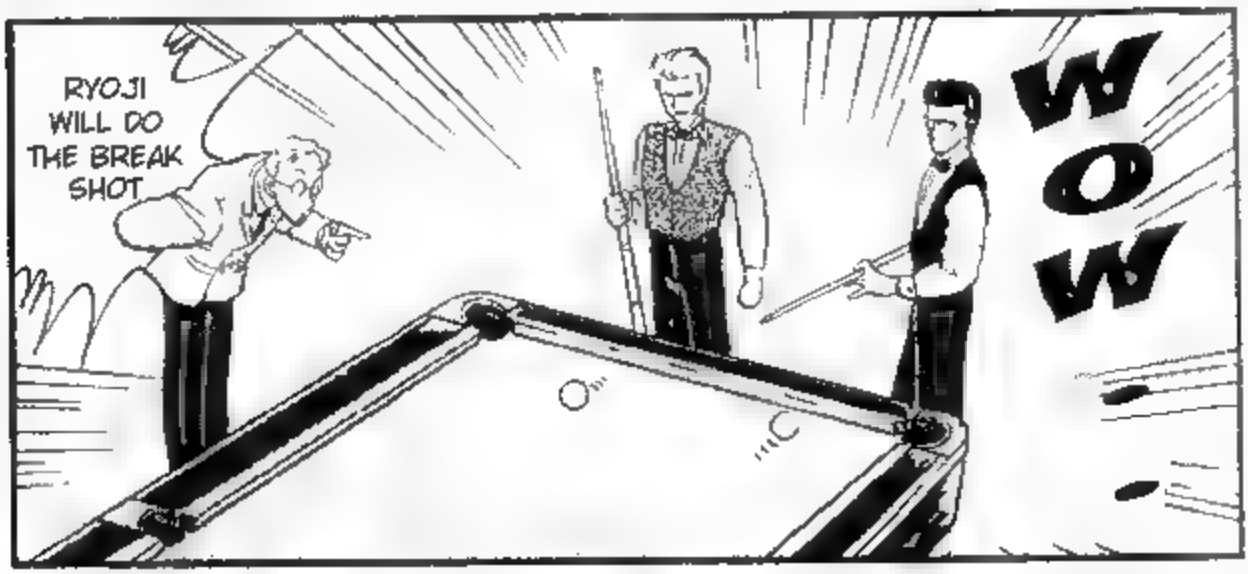
IS HE STILL THINKING ABOUT BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT?

CHINMI'S NOT HERE
STRANGE..


HE MUSTN'T LOSE CONCENTRATION AT A CRUCIAL MOMENT LIKE THIS
OK.. THIS IS THE LAST DAY
I'M GOING TO LOOK FOR CHINMI

IS HE TOO AFRAID TO PLAY AGAINST ME?




RYOJI WILL DO THE BREAK SHOT
WOW

....

KEEP IT UP
VERY GOOD, RYOJI

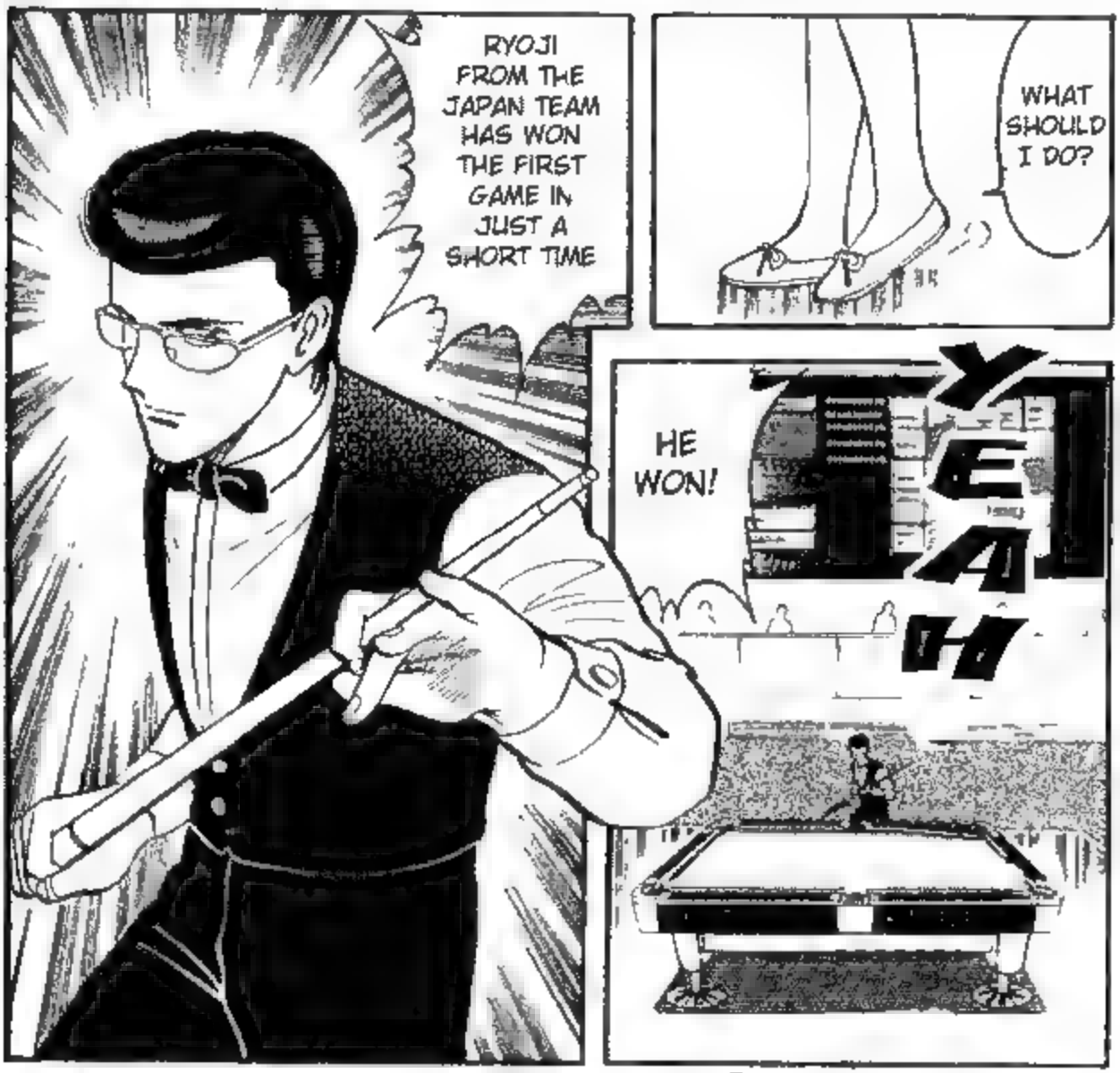
THAT MEANS HE'S STILL IN HIS ROOM

EXCUSE ME MAY I KNOW HIS ROOM NUMBER, PLEASE?

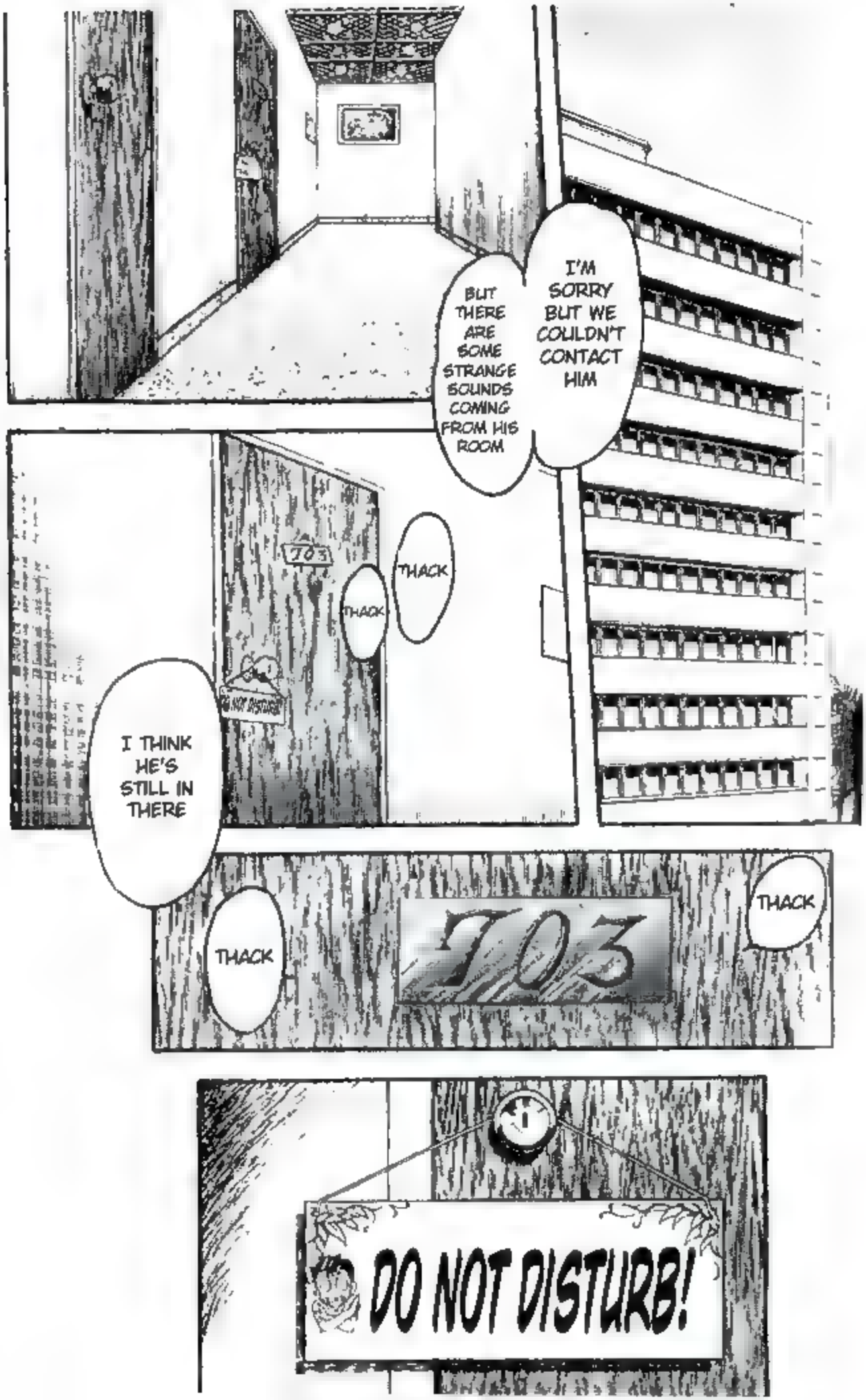
YES
THANK YOU.. IT'S ROOM 703, RIGHT?

HE HASN'T TURNED IN HIS ROOM KEY YET?!
703

I BET THAT HE STAYED UP ALL NIGHT JUST FOR THAT
HE SHOULD'VE PAID MORE ATTENTION TO THE TIME
IS HE STILL THINKING ABOUT THAT MIRACLE SHOT?


RYOJI FROM THE JAPAN TEAM HAS WON THE FIRST GAME IN JUST A SHORT TIME
WHAT SHOULD I DO?
HE WON!
YEAH!

HELLO?
WHAT?
COULD YOU PLEASE TRY AGAIN?


I'M SORRY BUT WE COULDN'T CONTACT HIM
BUT THERE ARE SOME STRANGE SOUNDS COMING FROM HIS ROOM
703
THACK
THACK
I THINK HE'S STILL IN THERE
THACK
703
THACK
DO NOT DISTURB!

RYOJI HAS WON THE FIRST GAME EASILY
HE DIDN'T GIVE HIS OPPONENT A CHANCE AT A...
WOW..
WOW..
HE DID IT!

YEAH
WHISTLE
VERY GOOD, RYOJI!

NO MATTER WHAT ..
I'VE GOT TO WIN

OK
TRY NOT TO LOSE TO HIM, OKI!

YEAH..
THE SECOND GAME IS BETWEEN OKI AND MIKE STONE
7
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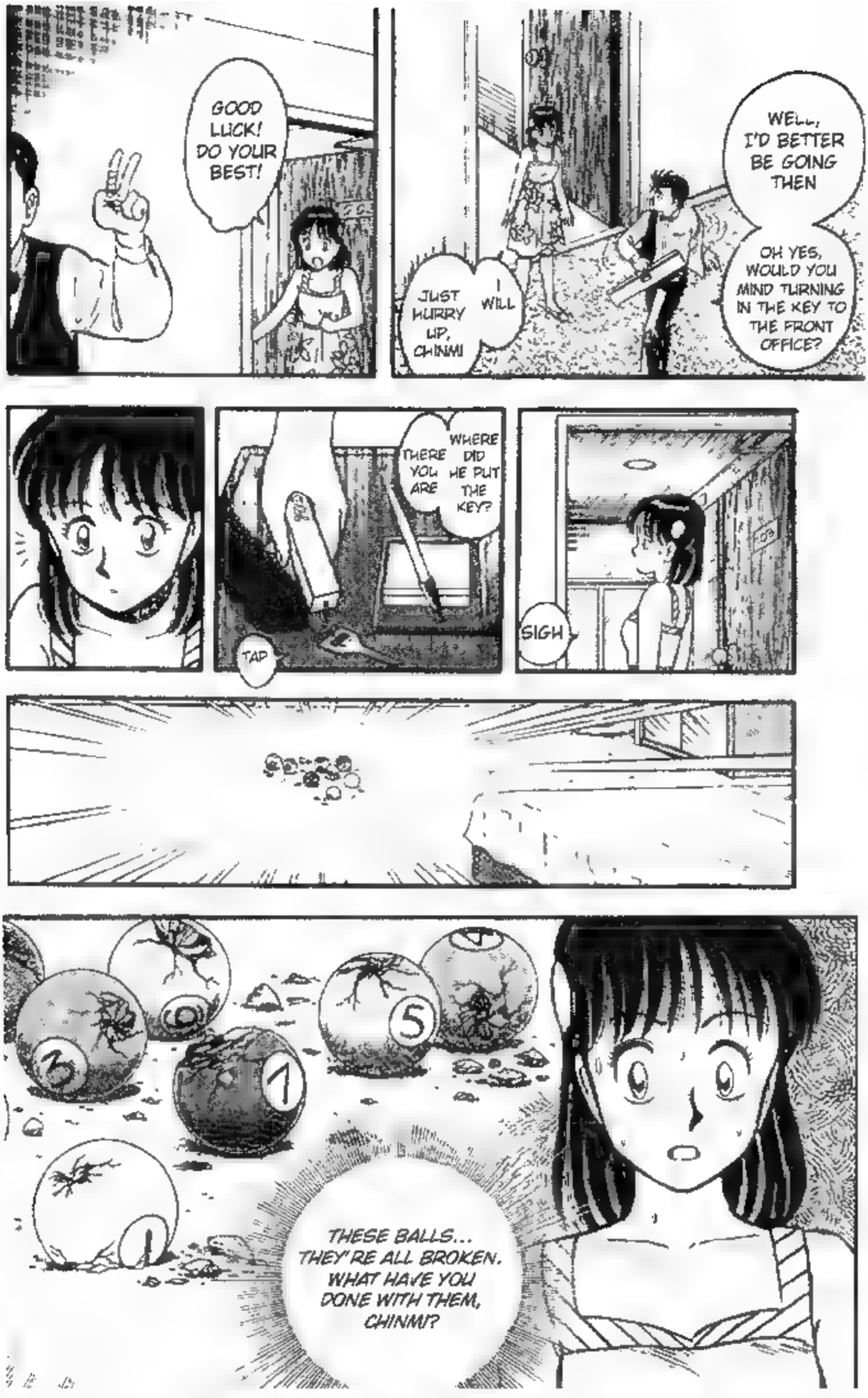
I'VE SEEN HOW HE HAS PLAYED
HE HAS GREAT POWER BUT HE LACKS ACCURACY
I STILL GOT A CHANCE TO WIN

Caffe
KAUKI
I WONDER WHERE HE IS?
CHINMI HASN'T COME YET
IF YOU'RE LATE, THEN ALL YOUR EFFORTS WILL BE WASTED
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, CHINMI?
OOH! HE FAILED TO POCKET THE FIFTH BALL!
YEAH..
OKI WILL DO THE FIRST BREAK
UUGHH
I'M SUCH AN IDIOT
ALRIGHT.. NOW I CAN WIN THIS
IT'S NOW MIKE STONE'S TURN

WEIRD
CREAK
CHINMI!
KNOCK
CHINMI! ARE YOU IN THERE?
103
KNOCK
KNOCK
OH.. IT'S YOU, OLIVE

I HAVE TO WIN THIS GAME THEN
THE BEST WE CAN DO IS MAKE IT A TIE
6-8
MIKE STONE HAS POCKETED THE NINTH BALL
..
USA IS NOW LEADING BY 2 POINTS
YEAH
IT'LL BE EMBARRASSING IF I LOSE TO THIS MIDGET
CHINMI !!!
I'LL BE RIGHT THERE
I KNOW, I KNOW.. BUT IT'S NOT LIKE I'M LATE, RIGHT?
BUT IT'S BLEEDING ..
IT'S JUST A MINOR WOUND.. I'LL BE ALRIGHT
YOU MEAN THIS?
OH ...
YOUR HANDS ...
IT'S OK.. I WAS PRACTICING TOO MUCH LAST NIGHT


GOOD LUCK! DO YOUR BEST!
WELL, I'D BETTER BE GOING THEN
OH YES, WOULD YOU MIND TURNING IN THE KEY TO THE FRONT OFFICE?
I WILL
JUST HURRY UP, CHINMI
WHERE DID HE PUT THE KEY?
THERE YOU ARE
TAP
SIGH
THESE BALLS... THEY'RE ALL BROKEN. WHAT HAVE YOU DONE WITH THEM, CHINMI?

I CAN WIN THIS GAME!
I'D BETTER DO THIS SLOWLY. I DON'T WANT TO MAKE ANY MISTAKE
I HAVE TO BE CAREFUL NOT TO MISS THIS
THWACK
THCK
THCK
YOU WON'T MAKE IT
COME ON. JUST GO IN! IN!
THACK
THACK
HIS SHOT IS TOO WEAK!
IT'S A 3-BALLS COMBI-NATION SHOT!
IT NOW HITS THE NINTH BALL
THACK

THACK
OH, NO!
HEH
9
IT'S IN!
THE NINTH BALL'S IN!
JAPAN
USA
HA HA
HA
JAPAN IS NOW ONLY ONE POINT BEHIND THE USA TEAM
WHISPER.. WHISPER..
WHERE'S CHINMI?
GOOD JOB, AONO!
DID YOU SEE THAT? I WON!

HERE HE IS!
YOU'RE FINALLY HERE, CHINMI!
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR HANDS, CHINMI!
THIS? THIS IS JUST THE RESULT OF MY PRACTICE
THICK THICK
YOU'LL SEE IT SOON

IT'S CHINMI VERSUS J. BOID
WE'VE NOW COME TO THE LAST GAME OF THE TOURNAMENT
WOW..!
YEAH..
THIS IS GOING TO BE A HOT BATTLE BETWEEN THE TWO PLAYERS

STILL ..
JAPAN
USA
7
8
THE BEST THAT WE CAN GET IS A TIE
EVEN IF I WIN THIS GAME, WE CAN'T WIN
I'M GOING TO DEFEAT YOU JEFFREY BOID!
I'LL STOP YOUR MIRACLE SHOT
I'M THE ONE WHO'S GOING TO WIN! THE USA TEAM WILL WIN THIS TOURNAMENT!
BUT SOON, THEY WILL BE SINGING A VICTORY SONG FOR ME
THOSE CROWDS ARE CHEERING FOR US, CHINMI!

WHAT IS YOUR PLAN, CHINMI?

ALL THOSE BROKEN BALLS.. HAVE YOU FOUND A WAY TO STOP HIS MIRACLE SHOT, CHINMI?

END OF
BREAKSHOT VOL 3 CHPT 4

CHINMI AND BOID. THEY'RE BOTH STRONG PLAYERS WHO DESERVE TO WIN. BUT THERE CAN BE ONLY ONE WINNER
THE FINAL GAME WILL BEGIN ANY MOMENT NOW. CURRENTLY, THE USA TEAM'S STILL LEADING BY ONE POINT
JAPAN
7
U.S.A.
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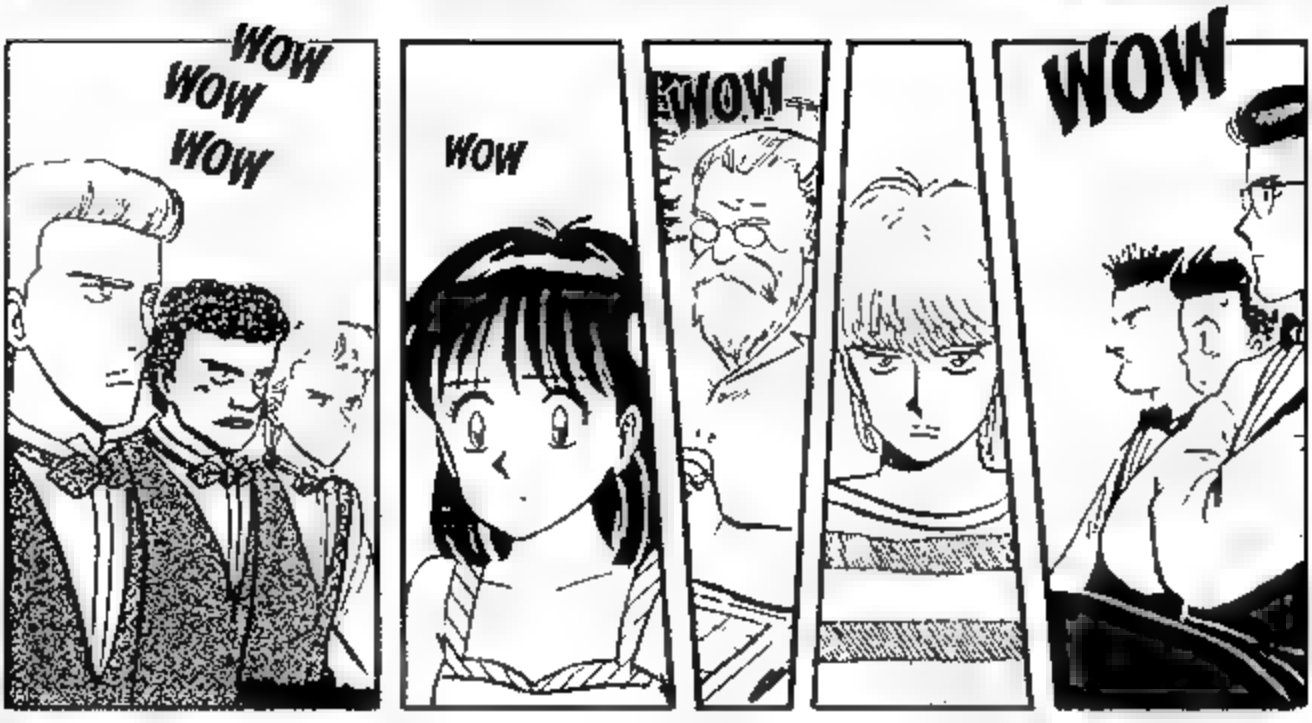
WOW
WOW
WOW
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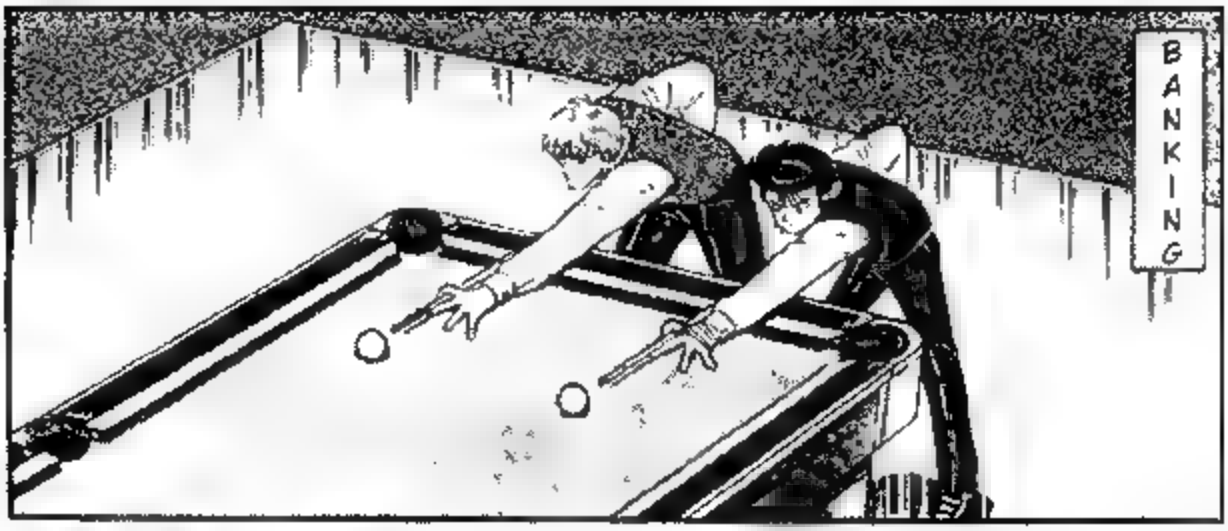
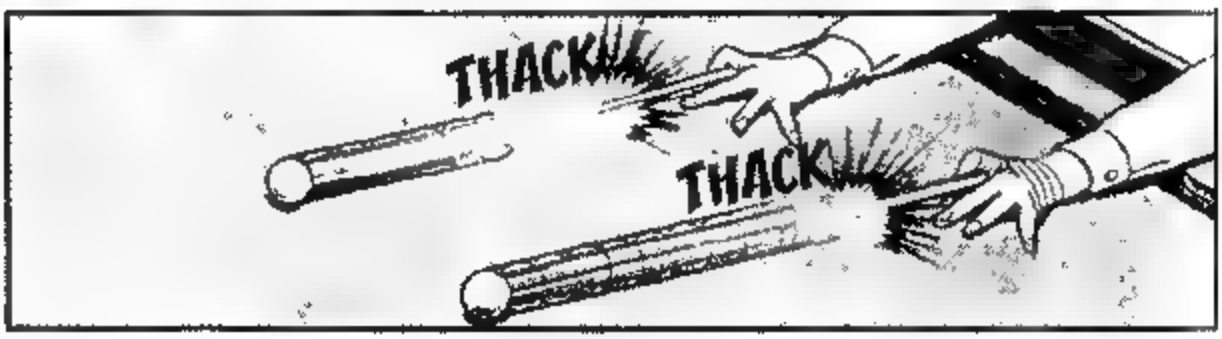
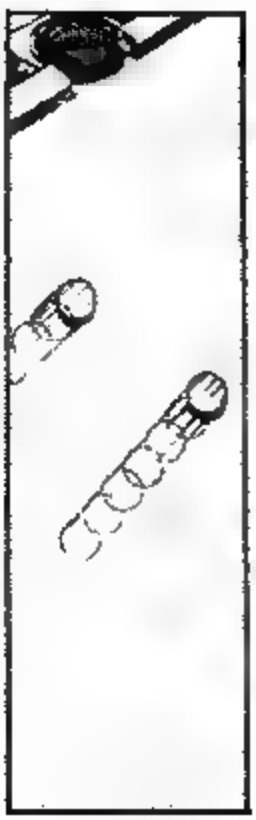
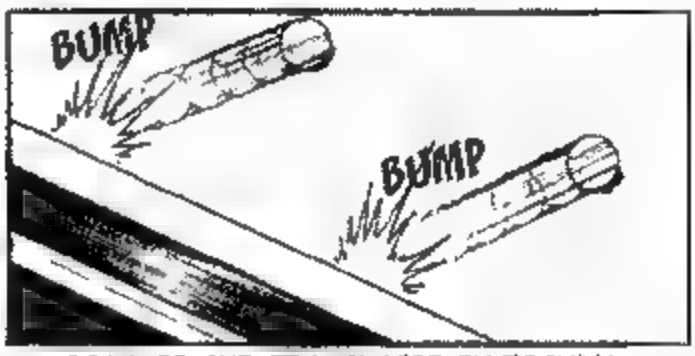
WOW
WOW









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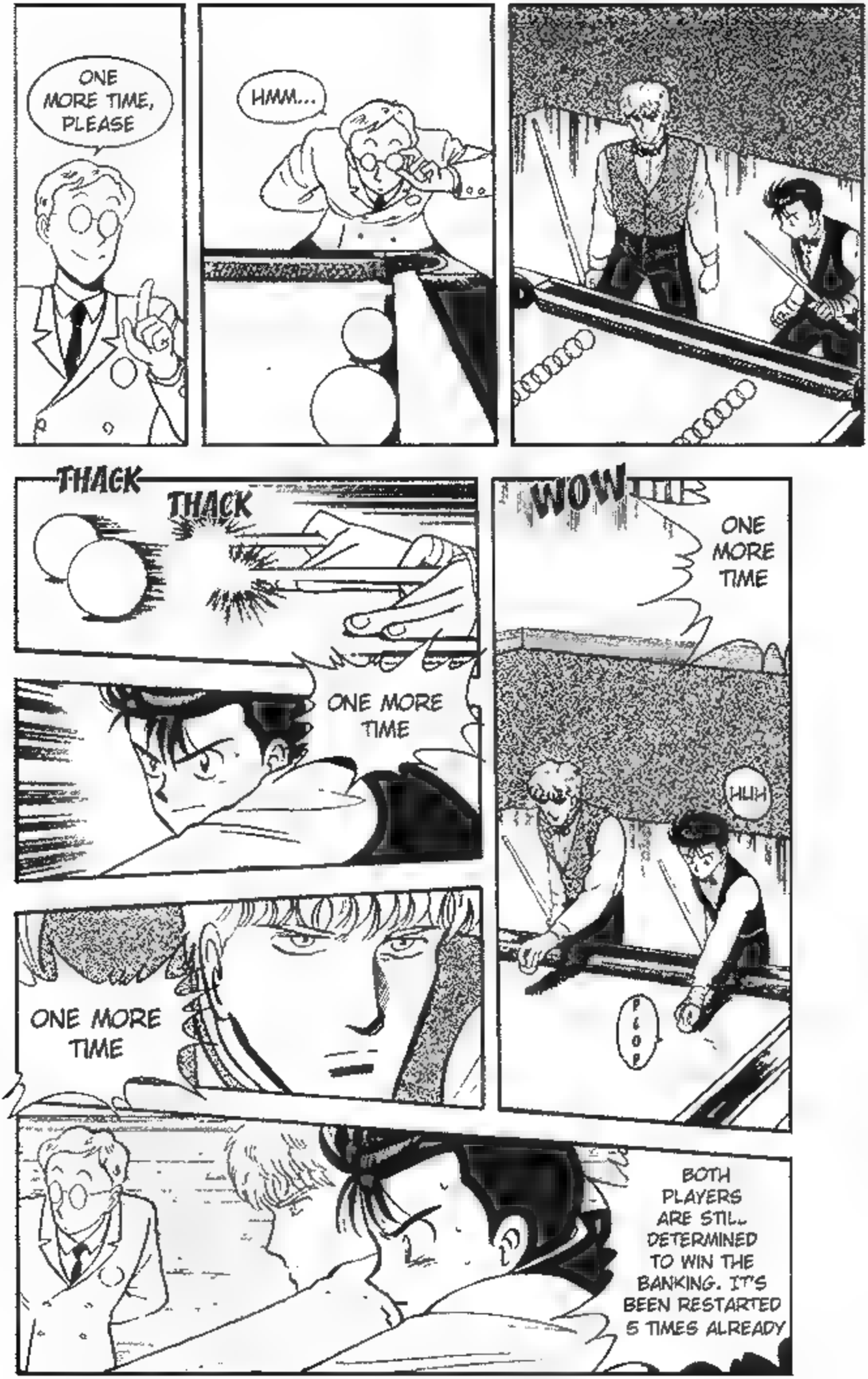
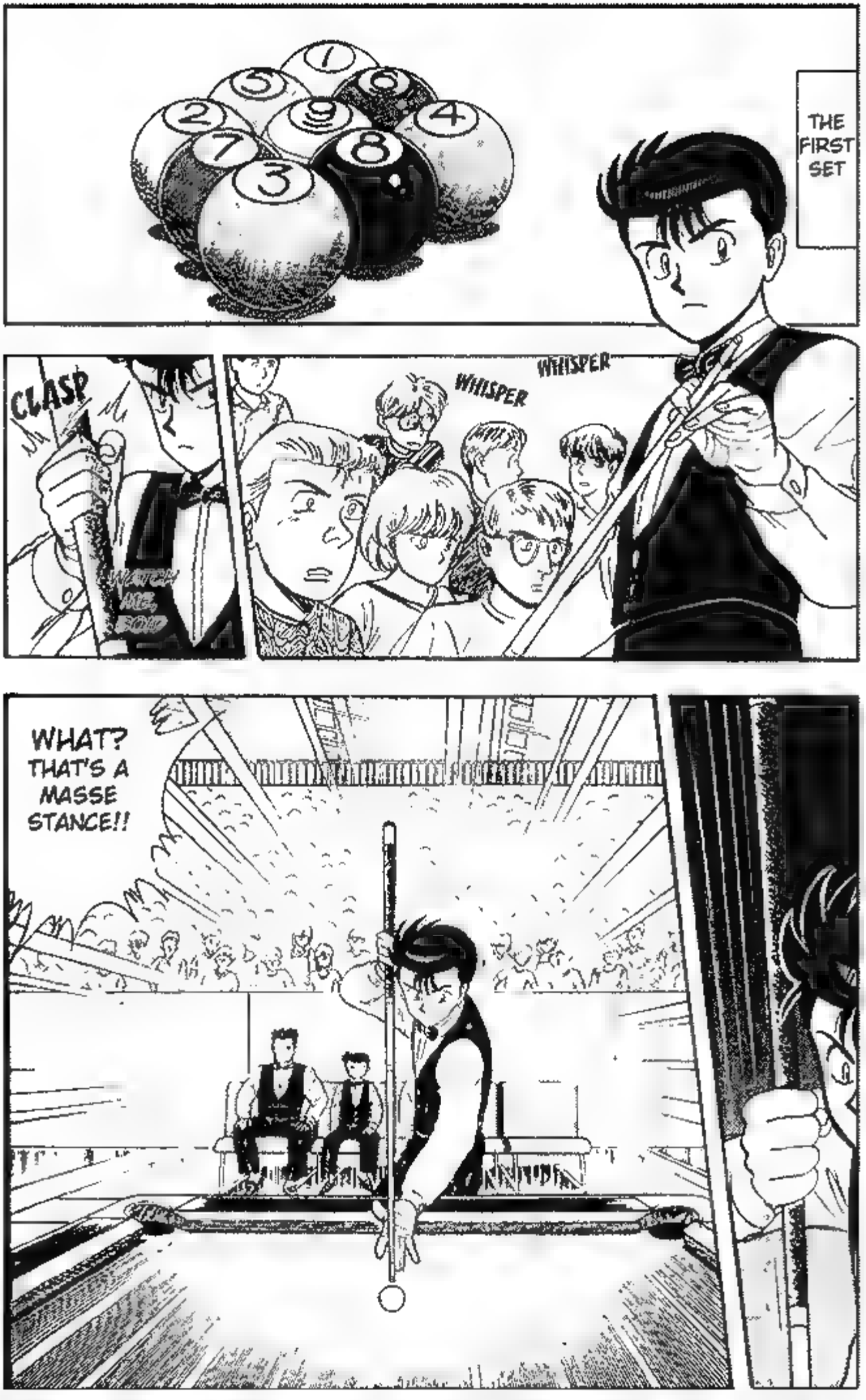
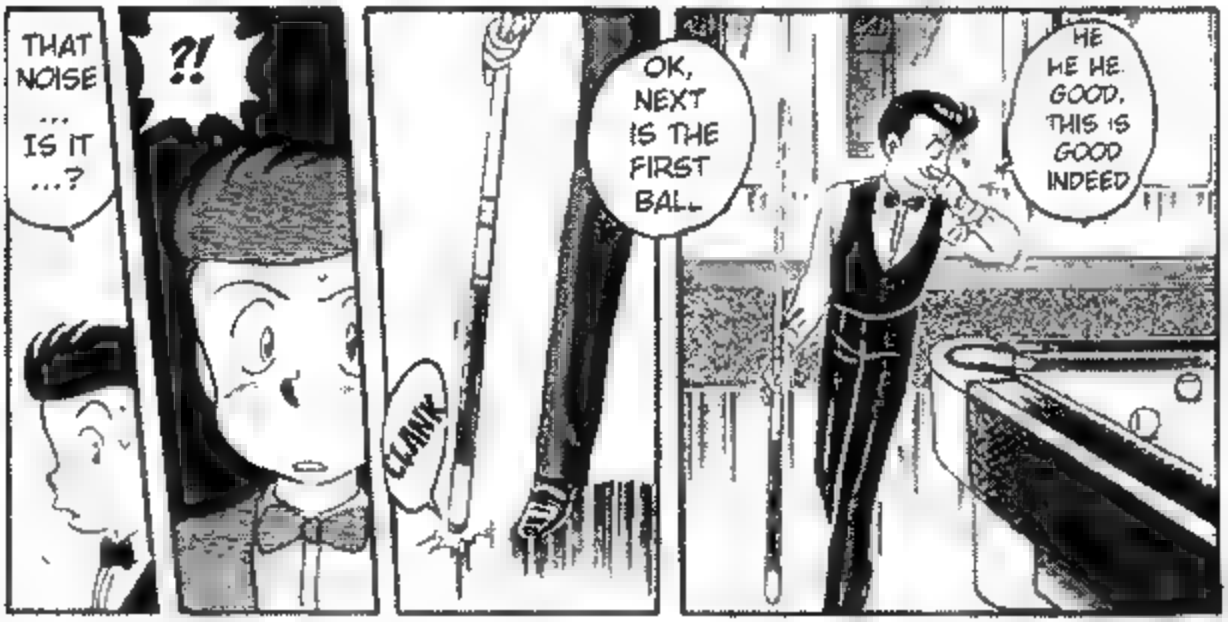

ONE MORE TIME, PLEASE
HMM...
THACK
THACK
ONE MORE TIME
ONE MORE TIME
WOW
ONE MORE TIME
HUH
PLOP
BOTH PLAYERS ARE STILL DETERMINED TO WIN THE BANKING. IT'S BEEN RESTARTED 5 TIMES ALREADY

THICK
THACK....
CHINMI WILL DO THE BREAKSHOT!
YES!!
YOU DID IT, CHINMI!
BOTH PLAYERS HAVE STRONG DETERMINATION TO WIN
IT'S JUST THE BANKING AND YET IT HAS TO BE RESTARTED 5 TIMES
HOW ARE YOU GOING TO STOP MY MIRACLE SHOT, CHINMI?
I'M REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO THAT MOMENT.
NO... THIS IS NOT OVER YET ..
THE FUN HAS JUST BEGUN.


THE FIRST SET
CLASP
WATCH ME BOW
WHISPER
WHISPER
WHAT? THAT'S A MASSE STANCE!!

HE'S COPYING OKI'S SPECIALTY SHOT!
SHATTER!
THACK
FOURTH BALL'S IN!
THWACK

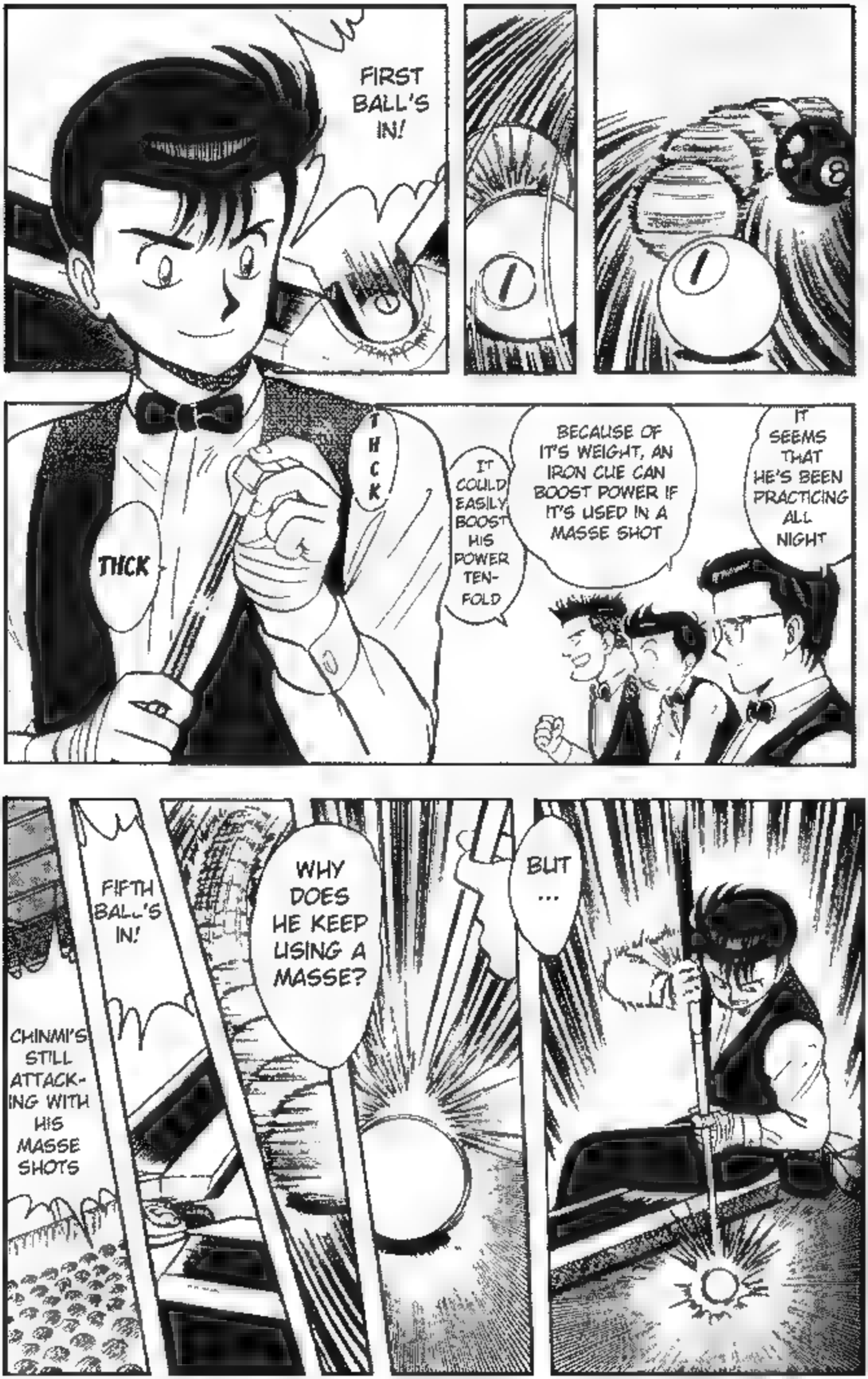
WOW
THIS
THIS IS..
HE... HE EASILY COPIED MY SPE-CIALTY
CHINMI HAS REALLY SHOWN HIS TRUE POWER NOW
WOW


THAT NOISE ... IS IT ...?
?!
CLANK
OK, NEXT IS THE FIRST BALL
HE HE HE GOOD. THIS IS GOOD INDEED

HE EVEN USED YOUR SPECIAL CUE?

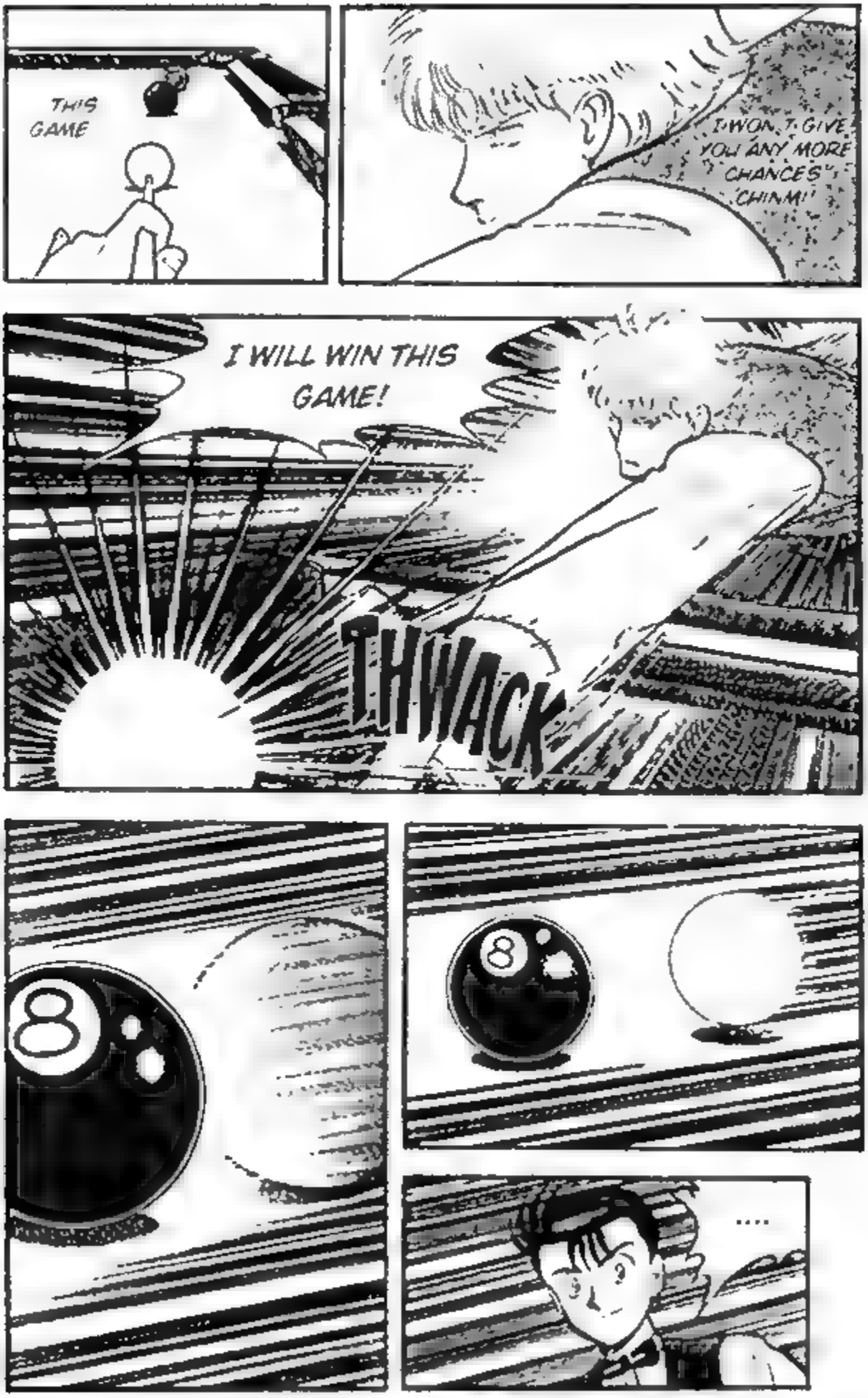
HE WOKE ME UP LAST NIGHT JUST TO BORROW THAT CUE
I'VE ALREADY TOLD HIM THAT IT'S TOO HEAVY TO BE USED FOR A MASSE SHOT

THAT'S RIGHT
THAT'S MY IRON CUE

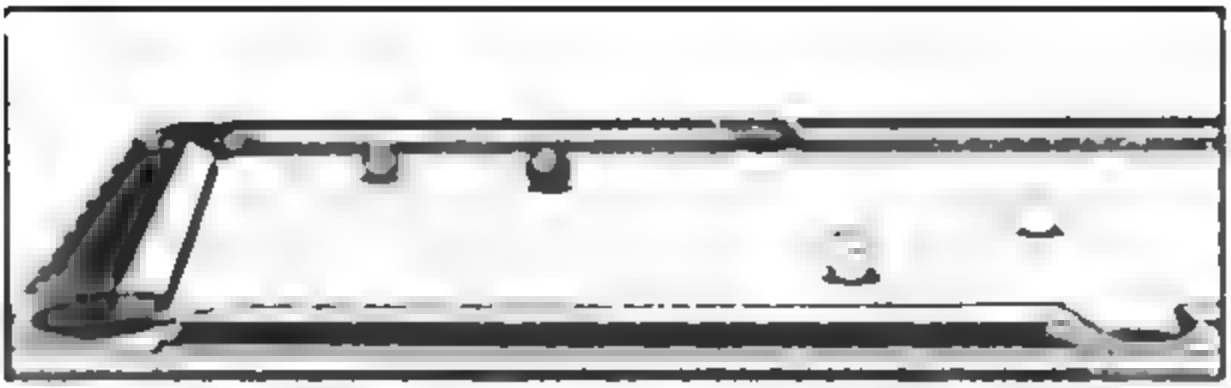

FIRST BALL'S IN!
THICK
THICK
IT COULD EASILY BOOST HIS POWER TEN-FOLD
BECAUSE OF IT'S WEIGHT, AN IRON CUE CAN BOOST POWER IF IT'S USED IN A MASSE SHOT
IT SEEMS THAT HE'S BEEN PRACTICING ALL NIGHT
FIFTH BALL'S IN!
CHINMI'S STILL ATTACK-ING WITH HIS MASSE SHOTS
WHY DOES HE KEEP USING A MASSE?
BUT ...

HE'S STILL USING MASSE SHOTS...
WHAT'S HE PLANNING?
I'VE FINALLY GOT USED TO THIS CUE
IT MUST'VE BEEN BECAUSE I'VE BEEN PRACTICING ALL NIGHT LONG
THICK THICK
OKAY ONE MORE TIME!
THACK
2
7
BALLS... IS IT THE RESULT OF HIS PRAC-TICE WITH THE IRON CUE?

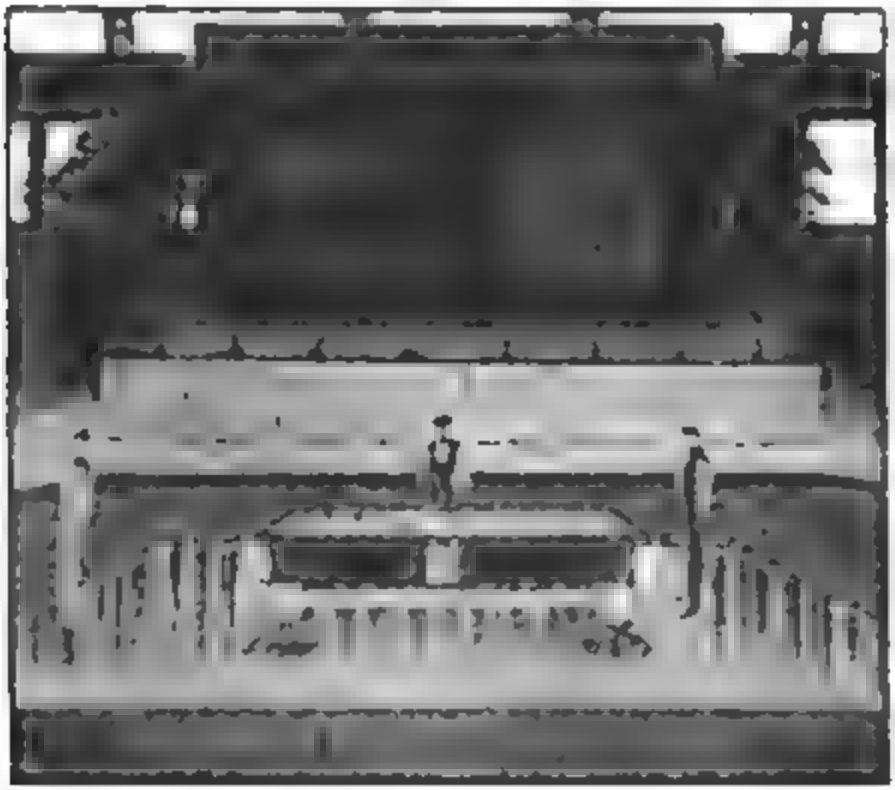
AAAH! HE FAILED!
THIS IS A LUCKY CHANCE TO USE HIS MIRACLE SHOT
IT'S NOW BOD'S TURN
MIRACLE SHOT!
MIRACLE SHOT!
SHOW THEM YOUR MIRACLE SHOT BOD!

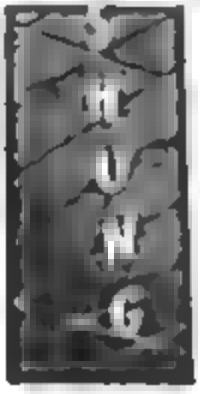

THIS GAME
I WON. I GIVE YOU ANY MORE CHANCES, CHINMI!
I WILL WIN THIS GAME!
THWACK
....

WHAT? HOW CAN IT BE?
TCHK
BUMP
HOW . WHAT HAPPENED HERE?
WOUH..
HE MISSED. THIS IS THE FIRST TIME FOR BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT HAS FAIL
HE FAILED?!
MH



TURN OFF THE LIGHTS!
ALL OF THEM!!

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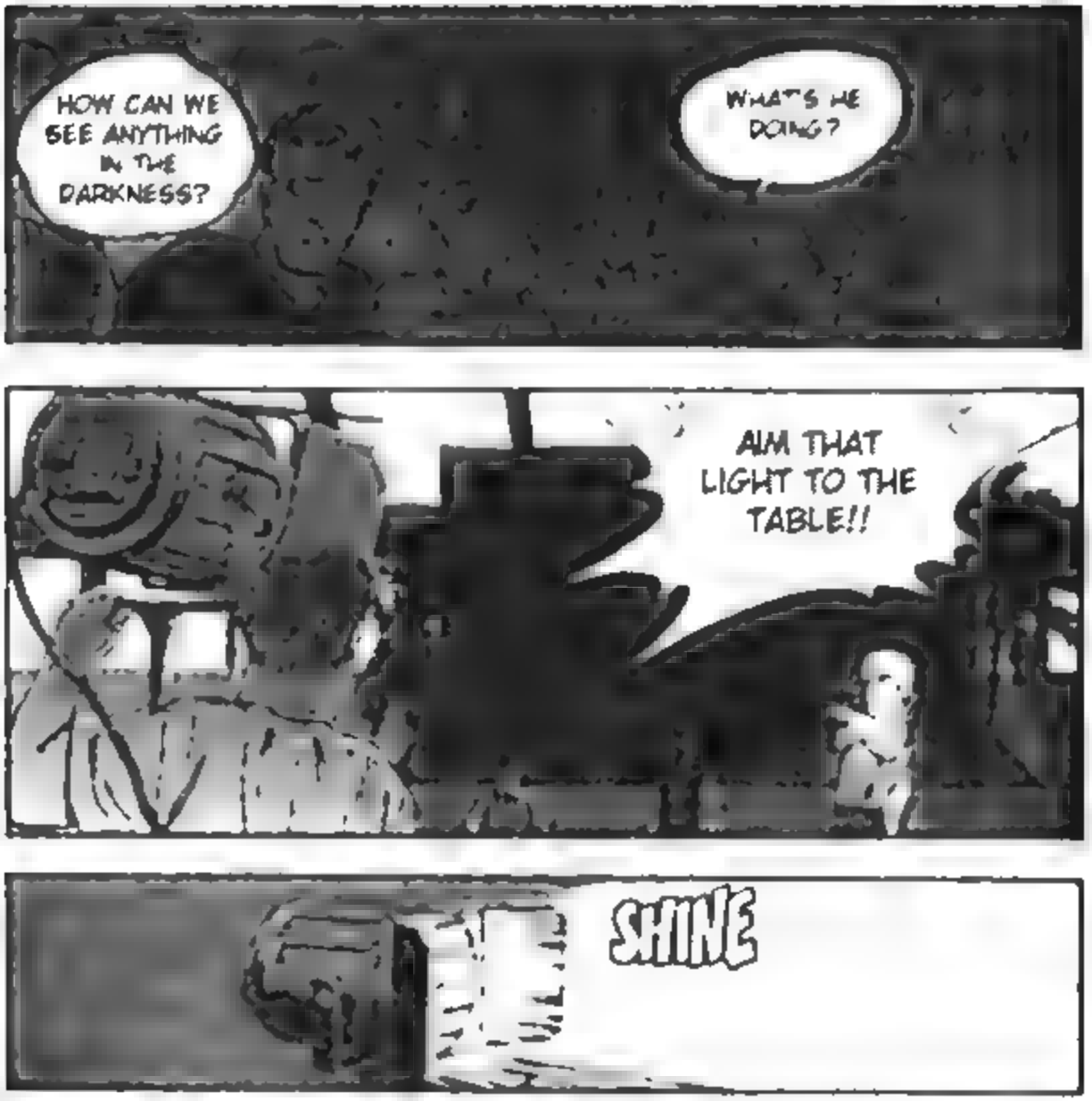
WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?
JUST DO AS HE SAYS


HOW CAN WE SEE ANYTHING IN THE DARKNESS?
WHAT'S HE DOING?
AIM THAT LIGHT TO THE TABLE!!
SHINE
WHAT!!

I SEE THAT'S WHY CHINAN INSISTED ON USING THAT IRON CUE

AND THERE ARE ENGRAVED PATHS ON THE TABLE

THOSE ENGRAVED PATHS HAVE BLOCKED EVERY POCKET ON THE TABLE

WHAT ...?

LOOK! CHINAN'S MASSE SHOTS HAVE ENGRAVED PATHS EVERYWHERE ON THE TABLE

HIS MASSE SHOTS HAVE BLOCKED EVERY POCKET ON THE

MY MIRACLE SHOT WILL BE TRAPPED ON THOSE PATHS AND BE DIVERTED.

IT SEEMS THAT I'VE UNDERESTIMATED YOU, CHINMI!

THE FIRST SET CONTINUED WITH ONLY THREE BALLS LEFT ON THE TABLE

BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT HAS FAILED, SO IT'S NOW CHINMI'S TURN AGAIN! ONLY 3 BALLS ARE LEFT ON THE TABLE

ACTUALLY THE BALL'S POSITIONS ARE NOT DIFFICULT BUT...

CHINMI'S POWERFUL MASSE SHOTS...

HAVE ENGRAVED DEEP PATHS IN THE VINYL COATING

JUST A MISCALCULATION OF A FEW MILLIMETERS COULD BE FATAL FOR HIM
IF HE USES REGULAR SHOTS THE BALLS WILL BE TRAPPED BY THE PATHS AND DIVERTED
BUT HE'S ALSO CAUGHT BY HIS OWN TRAP
CHINMI HAS BLOCKED ALL THE POCKETS HE CAN ONLY USE JUMP SHOTS TO POCKET THE BALLS

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I HAVE TO USE A JUMP SHOT TO REACH THE SEVENTH BALL

THEN I CAN ALSO HIT THE EIGHTH BALL AND POCKET IT IN THE OTHER CORNER

THACK

HERE IT COMES!

CHINMI HAS TAKEN AIM....IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S GOING TO USE HIS JUMP SHOT!

7
THACK
!?
TNACK
8
8

COME ON!

DUNK

WILL IT FALL IN?

EIGHTH BALL'S IN!

PHEW!

GOOD! GOOD!

VERY GOOD!

....

THIS POSI-TION...

YOU'RE GOING TO FALL INTO YOUR OWN TRAP, CHINMI!

HMM...

I BET THAT CHINMI'S GOING TO USE THE SEVENTH BALL AS HIS STEPPING STONE TO REACH THE NINTH BALL

ONLY THE SEVENTH AND NINTH BALLS ARE LEFT ON THE TABLE!

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TARGET BALL

7

CUE BALL

CHINMI IS A MASTER AT JUMP SHOTS

I'M SURE HE CAN DO IT

HE'LL SURELY FAIL

.....

IF HE DOES THAT THEN.

WE'LL SEE WHAT KIND OF JUMP BALL HE'S GOING TO SHOW US.

IT LOOKS LIKE WE'RE GOING TO WIN THE FIRST SET

HM HM HM

I THINK THEY KNOW SOME-THING

I DON'T LIKE IT

OTHER-WISE, THEY WOULDN'T BE SO CALM

PERHAPS THEY THINK CHINMI CAN'T SOLVE THIS POSITION

THEY CERTAINTLY LOOK CALM ENOUGH EVEN THOUGH WE'VE ALMOST WON THIS FIRST SET

7

THE SEVENTH BALL'S POSITION ...!

A JUMP SHOT'S ACCURACY IS ALSO DETERMINED ON THE STABILITY OF ITS STEPPING STONES

9

7

BUT LOOK AT THE SEVENTH BALL'S POSITION

WHAT ABOUT IT?

I UNDER-STAND NOW RYOJ.

IT'S LOCATED RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ENGRAVED PATH!

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THE SEVENTH BALL ISN'T STABLE ENOUGH TO USE AS A STEPPING STONE IN THAT POSITION!

PATH

THE THE REBOUND-ING CUE BALL...

TAK

IF CHINMI STILL INSISTS ON USING HIS JUMP SHOT

IT'S IMPOSSI-BLE TO PREDICT WHERE THE CUE BALL WILL LAND!

WILL BE UNCONTROL-LABLE! THE UNSTA-BLE SEVENTH BALL CAN EASILY CHANGE THE ANGLE OF THE CUE BALL!

IT LOOKS LIKE CHNMI HAS DECIDED ON HIS TARGET!

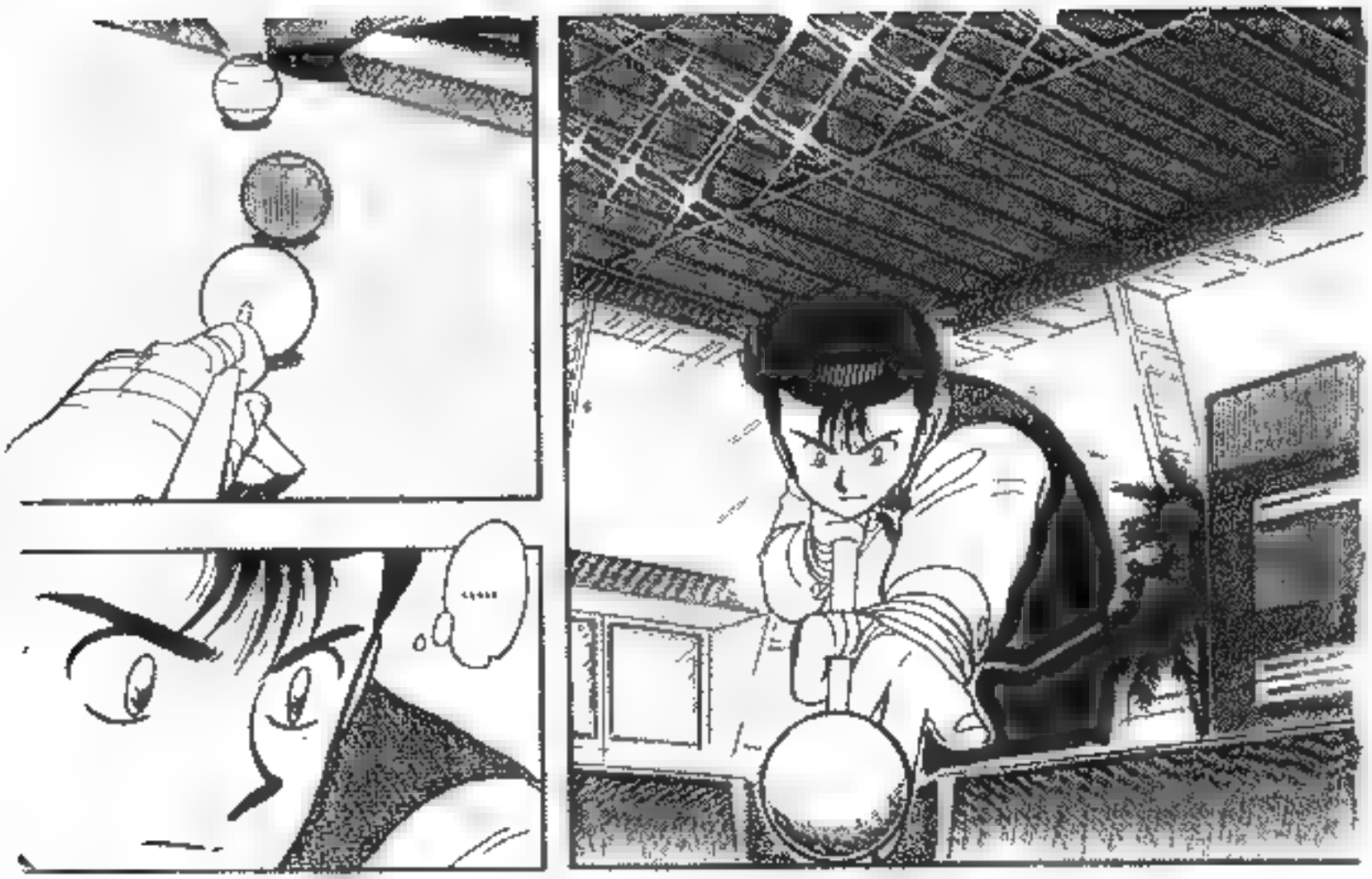
HE'S GOING TO USE A JUMP SHOT AGAIN...

THAT STANCE .....

ARE YOU STILL GOING TO DO IT?

CHINMI...

I'M 100% SURE YOU'RE GOING TO FAIL THIS TIME, CHINMI!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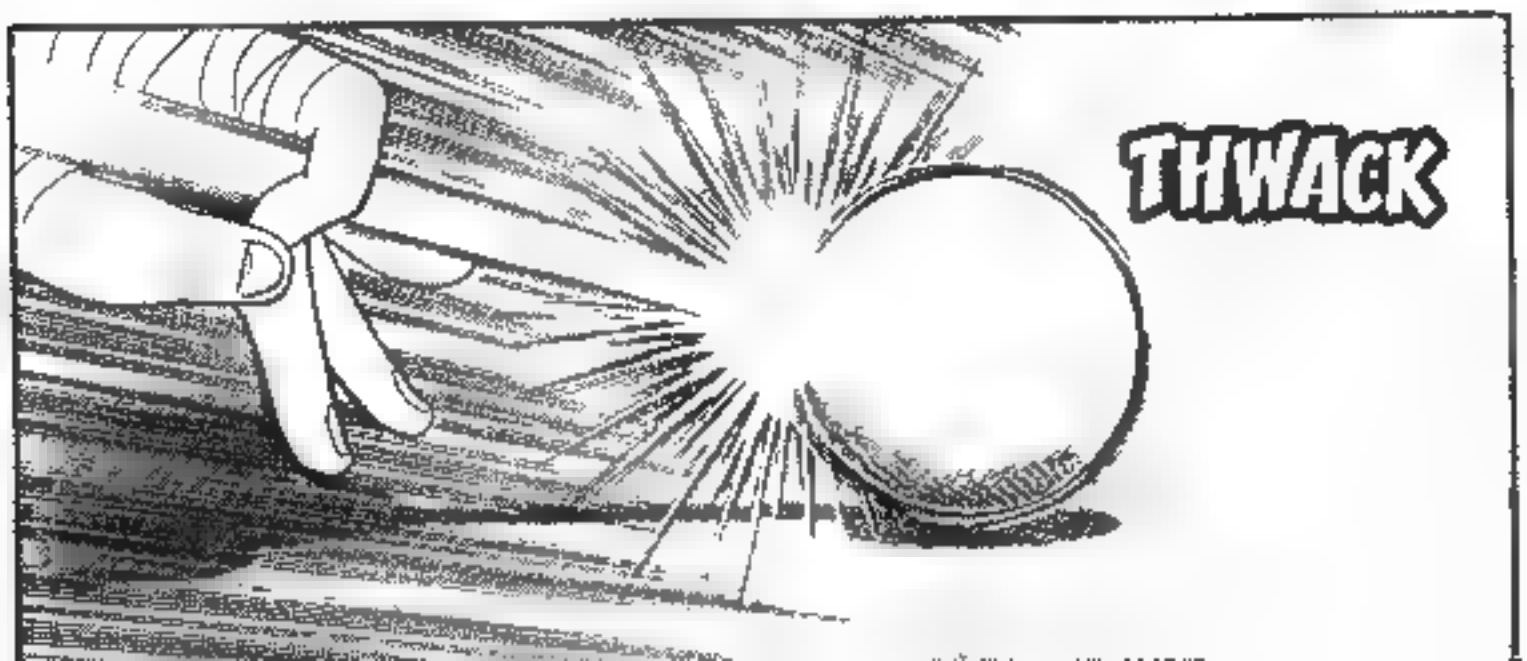
I'LL SHOW YOU THE TRUE POWER OF MY JUMP SHOT!
WATCH ME, BOID!


THWACK

IT'S BEEN HIT!

THIS IS THE END!

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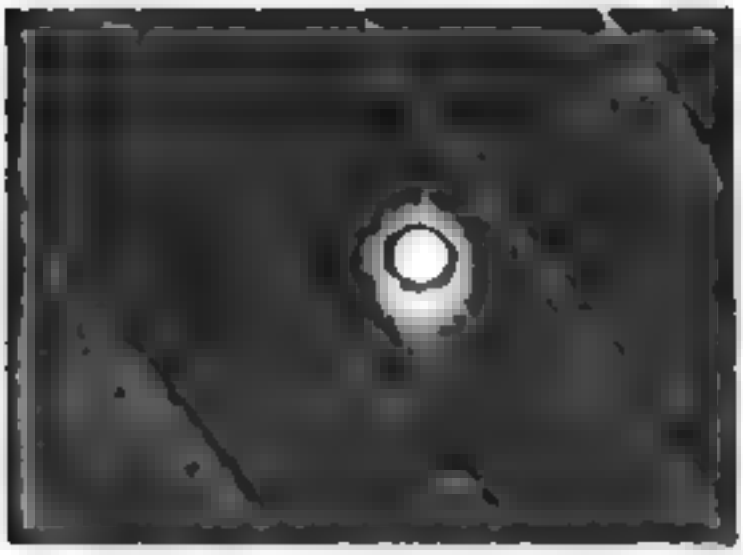
WWOOOWWW

THE CUE BALL IS STILL RISING OVER THE TABLE!

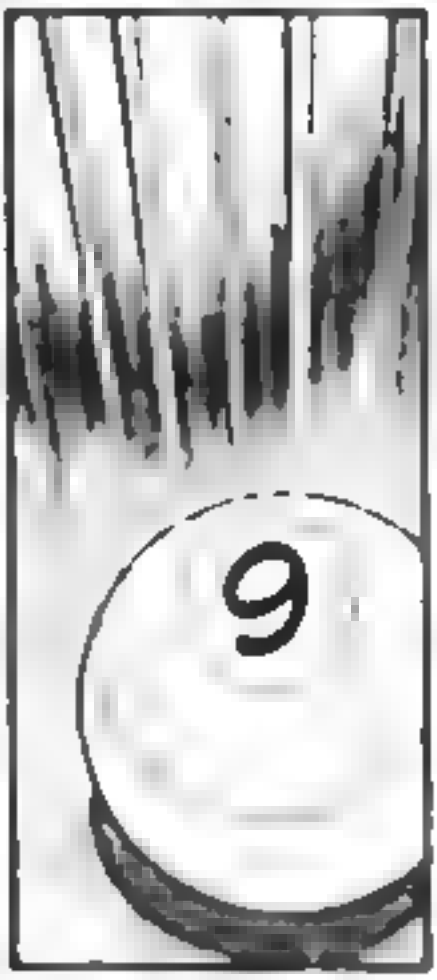
IT'S STILL RISING!

HMMM'S THIS PUZZLES B.E.?



WWOOWW

THACK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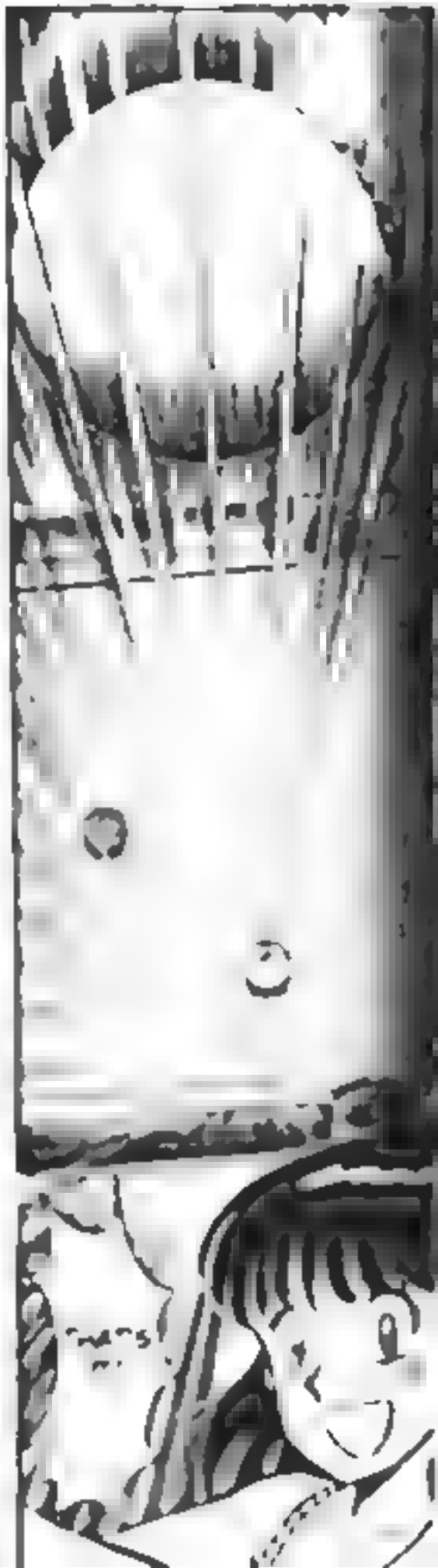

THACK
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THE NINTH BALL'S IN!

AMAZING!

THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN A BALL JUMP SO HIGH!

HE DID IT!

HOW COULD HE DO A SUCCESSFUL JUMP SHOT WITH THE BALL IN THAT POSITION?

DAMN IT...

WHAT?!

I KNOW IT'S A DANGEROUS SHOT TO DO IN THAT POSITION..

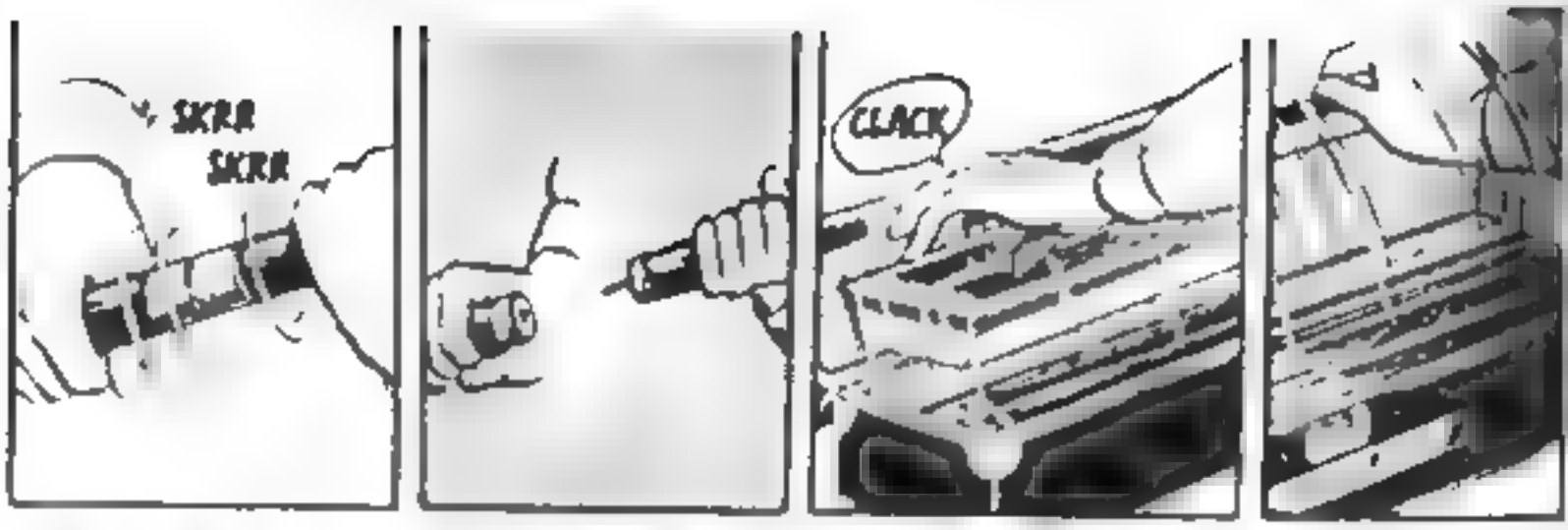
BUT IF YOU REMEMBER WHAT'S UNDER THE BALL, YOU MIGHT THINK OTHERWISE

YOU LOOK SUR-PRISED, BOID

7

'IMPOSSI-
BLE'

HEAD SPOT
CENT-ER SPOT
FOOT SPOT
THE FOOT SPOT!
HAD HE PRE-DICTED THAT THE SEVENTH BALL WOULD STOP AT THE FOOT SPOT?
YES. THE FOOT SPOT CAN HOLD THE POSITION OF THE SEVENTH BALL
CHINMI... IT SEEMS THAT I HAVE TO GET SERIOUS WITH YOU
CHINMI FROM THE JAPAN TEAM HAS WON THE FIRST SET!
I WON!


SKRR
SKRR
CLACK

WHAT!? A BLACK CUE!?

HERE IN HAWAII, THE JAPAN-USA HIGH SCHOOL BILLIARDS TOURNAMENT IS BEING HELD!
CHINMI, WITH HIS IRON CUE AND MASSE SHOTS, HAS BRILLIANTLY WON THE FIRST SET!
HIS MASSE SHOTS HAVE ENGRAVED PATHS ON THE TABLE WHICH CAUSE BOID'S MIRACLE SHOTS TO FAIL!
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CLACK
FINALLY HE POCKETED THE NINTH BALL WITH HIS SUPER JUMP SHOT!
WILL HE BE ABLE TO WIN THIS SECOND SET TOO?
JUST BEAT HIM!
GO FOR IT, CHINMI!

BOID HAS DECIDED TO USE HIS BLACK CUE?
TCHK
TCHK
WHAT'S SO SPECIAL ABOUT THAT BLACK CUE?
THIS IS THE ONLY WAY TO STOP BOID'S MIRACLE SHOT!
HE'S STILL USING MASSE!
THE SECOND SET BEGINS! CHINMI WILL DO THE BREAK SHOT!
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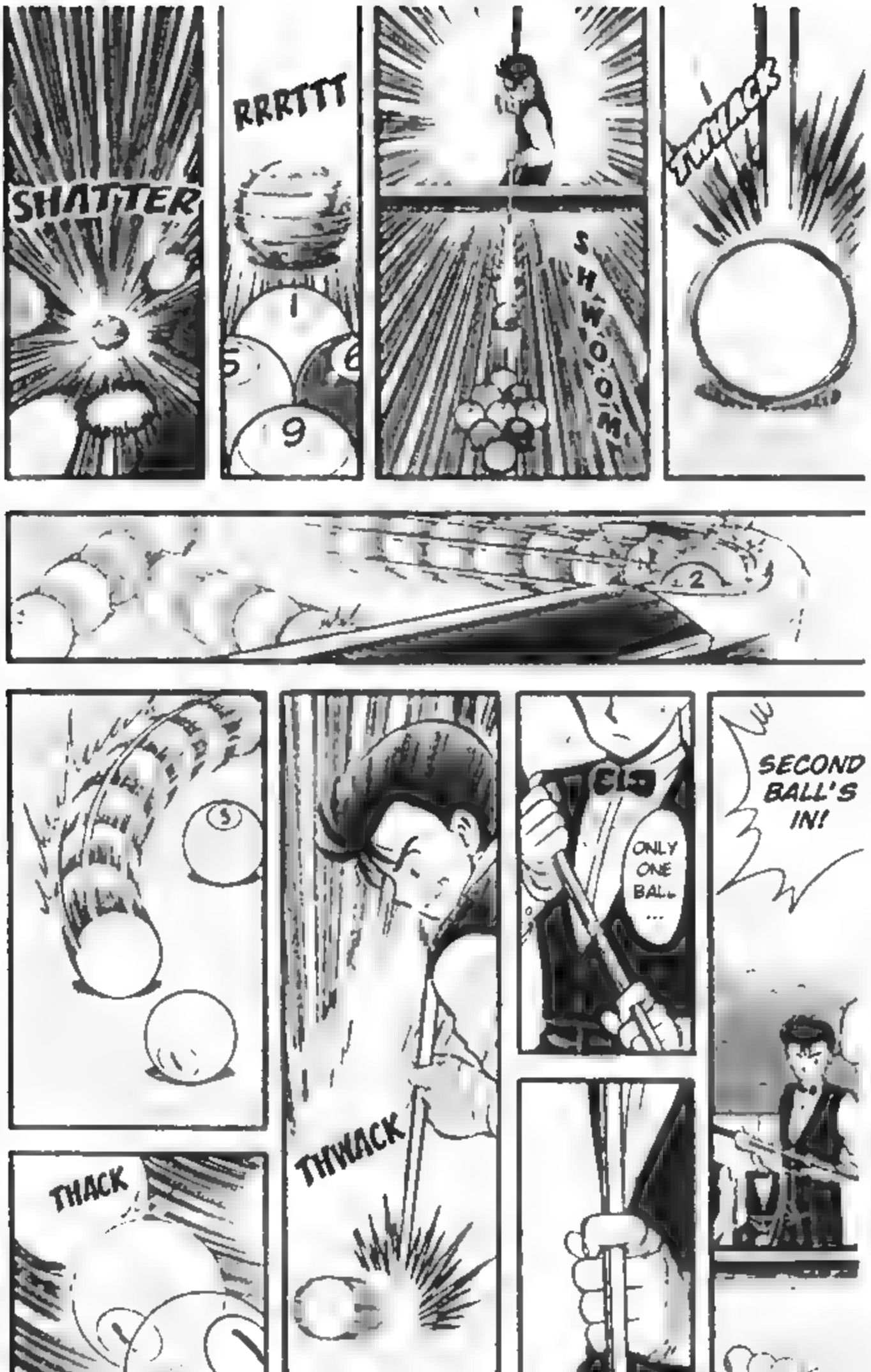
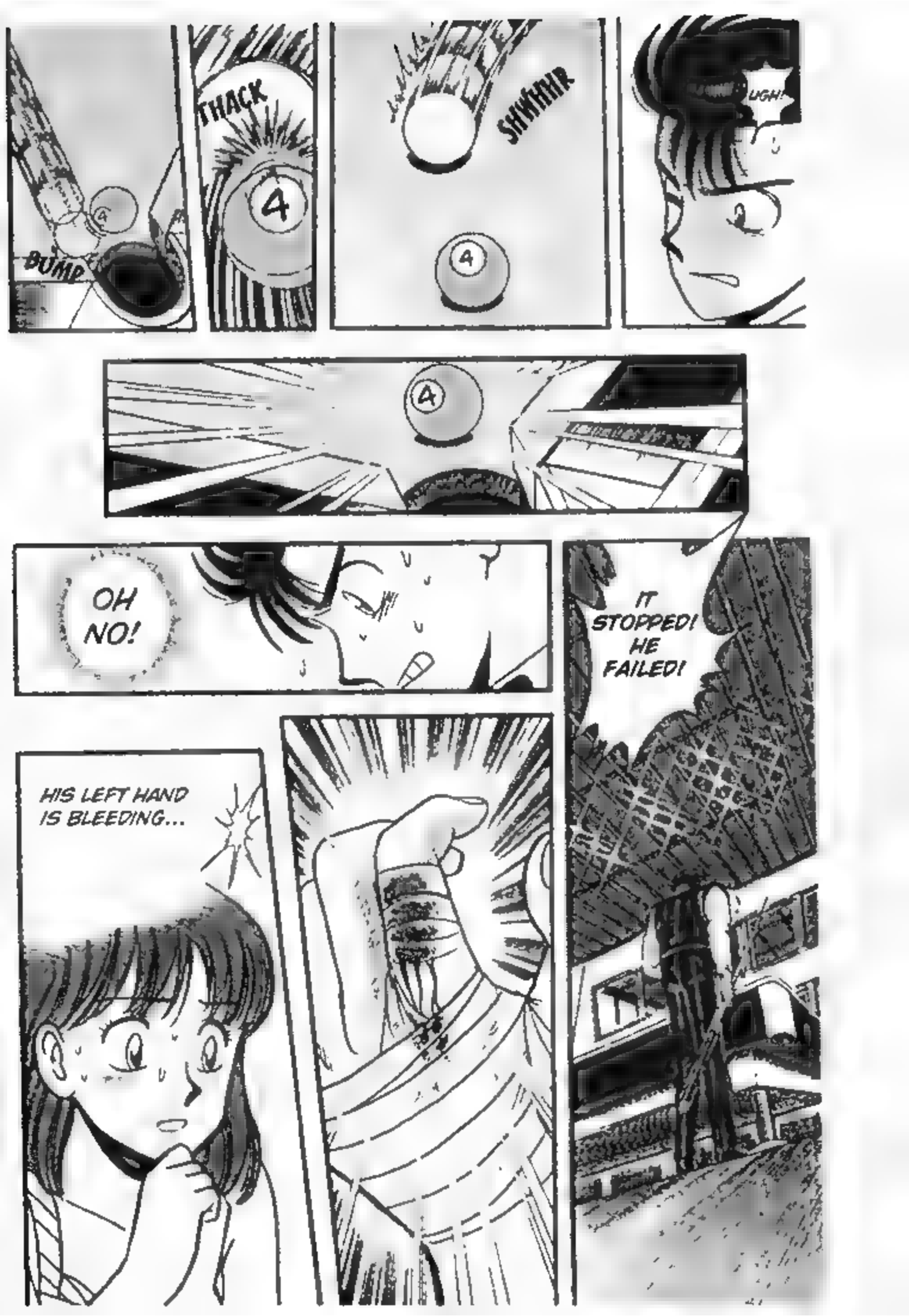

SHATTER
RRRTTT
SHWOOM
THWACK
THWACK
THACK
ONLY ONE BALL...
SECOND BALL'S IN!

CHINMI KEEPS ATTACKING WITH HIS IRON CUE AND MASSE SHOTS!
FIRST BALL'S IN!
THACK
DON'T MAKE ANY MISTAKES, CHINMI!
THERE MUST BE SOMETHING ON HIS MIND
HE'S DECIDED TO USE THAT BLACK CUE
BE CAREFUL, CHINMI! DON'T GIVE BOID ANY MORE CHANCES!
THWACK
TCHK TCHK
ONE MORE TIME ...
CHINMI SEEMS TO BE IN PAIN...!
!?


BUMP
THACK
4
SHWAHHR
4
UGH!
4
OH NO!
IT STOPPED! HE FAILED!
HIS LEFT HAND IS BLEEDING...

IF ONLY I KNEW THAT THIS WAS GOING TO HAPPEN!
MY MISTAKE WILL MAKE THE JAPAN TEAM LOSE
IT MUST BE BECAUSE HE WAS PRACTICING TOO HARD LAST NIGHT!
WHAT INCREDIBLE STAMINA HE HAS!
TO BE ABLE TO HOLD THE BURDEN FOR SO LONG
JEFFREY BOID!
CHINO'S BLEEDING ON HIS LEFT HAND HAS CAUSED HIS SHOT TO FAIL! IT'S A PLAYER CHANGE!

THE BLACK CUE...
IT'S MY TURN AT LAST...

THE WHOLE TABLE IS FILLED WITH THE PATHS CHINNU MADE! HE CAN'T USE REGULAR OR MIRACLE SHOTS IN THIS SITUATION!
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO, BOID!?

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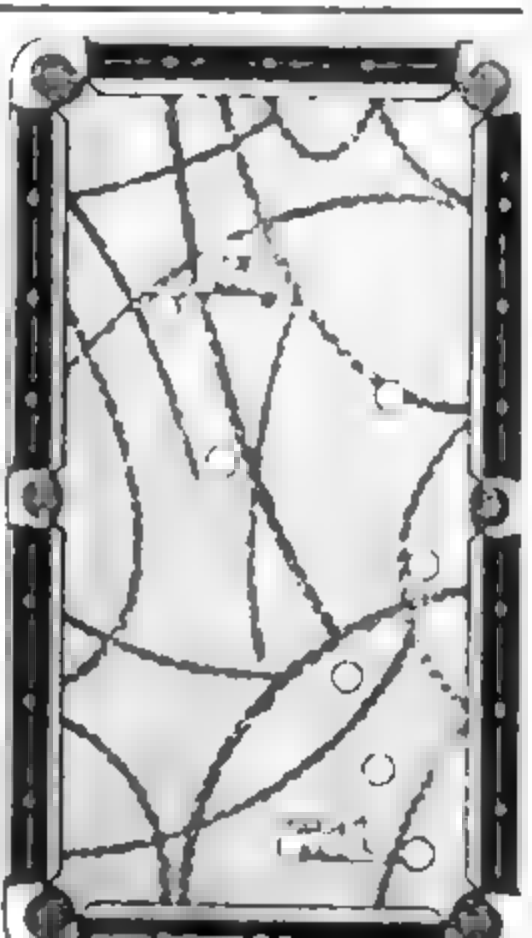
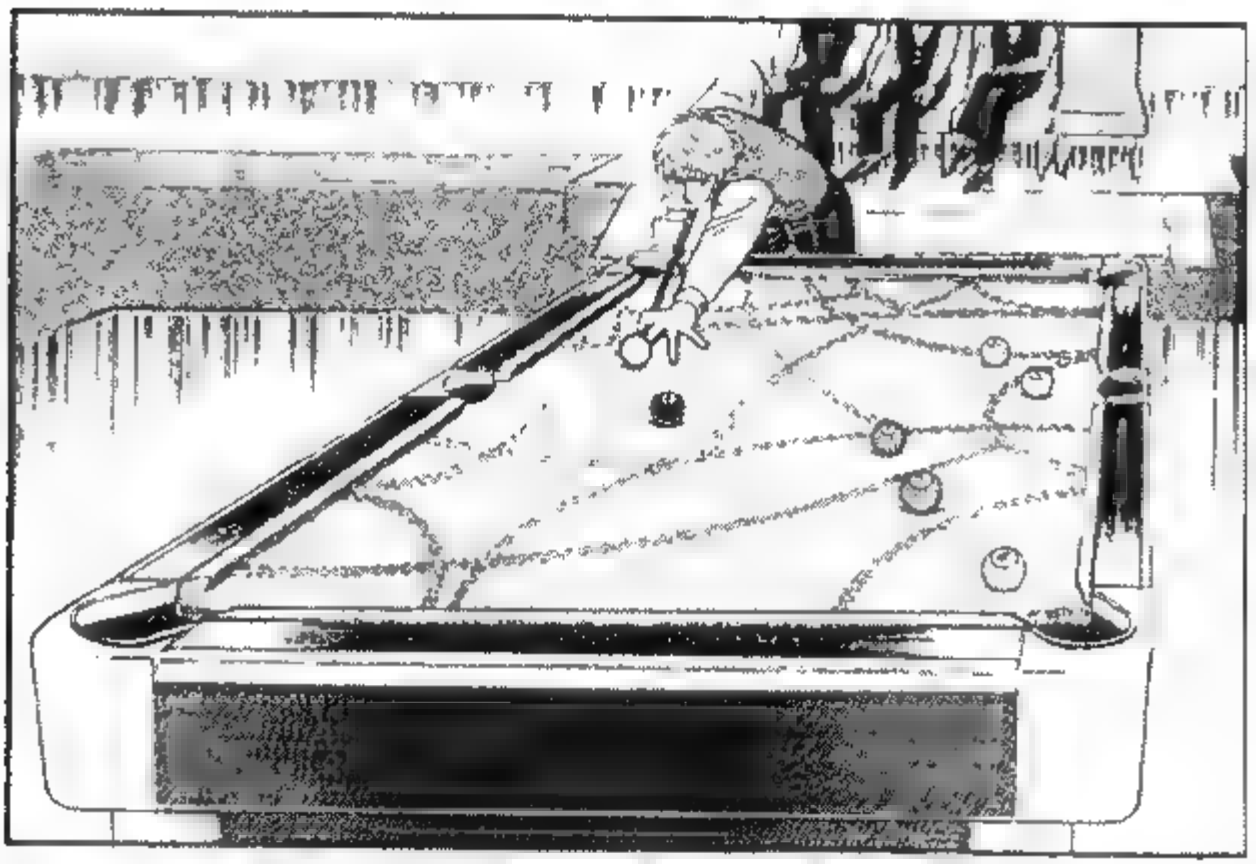


WHAT KIND OF SHOTS IS HE GOING TO USE IN THIS SITU-ATION?!
TCHK TCHK
PERHAPS HE CAN DO IT WITH HIS BLACK CUE!

TAK



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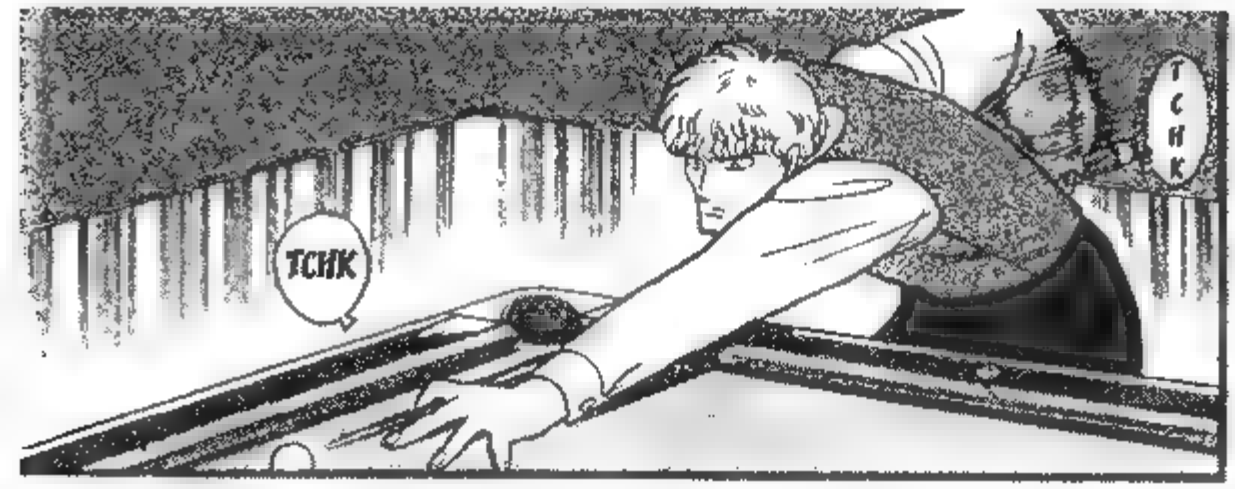
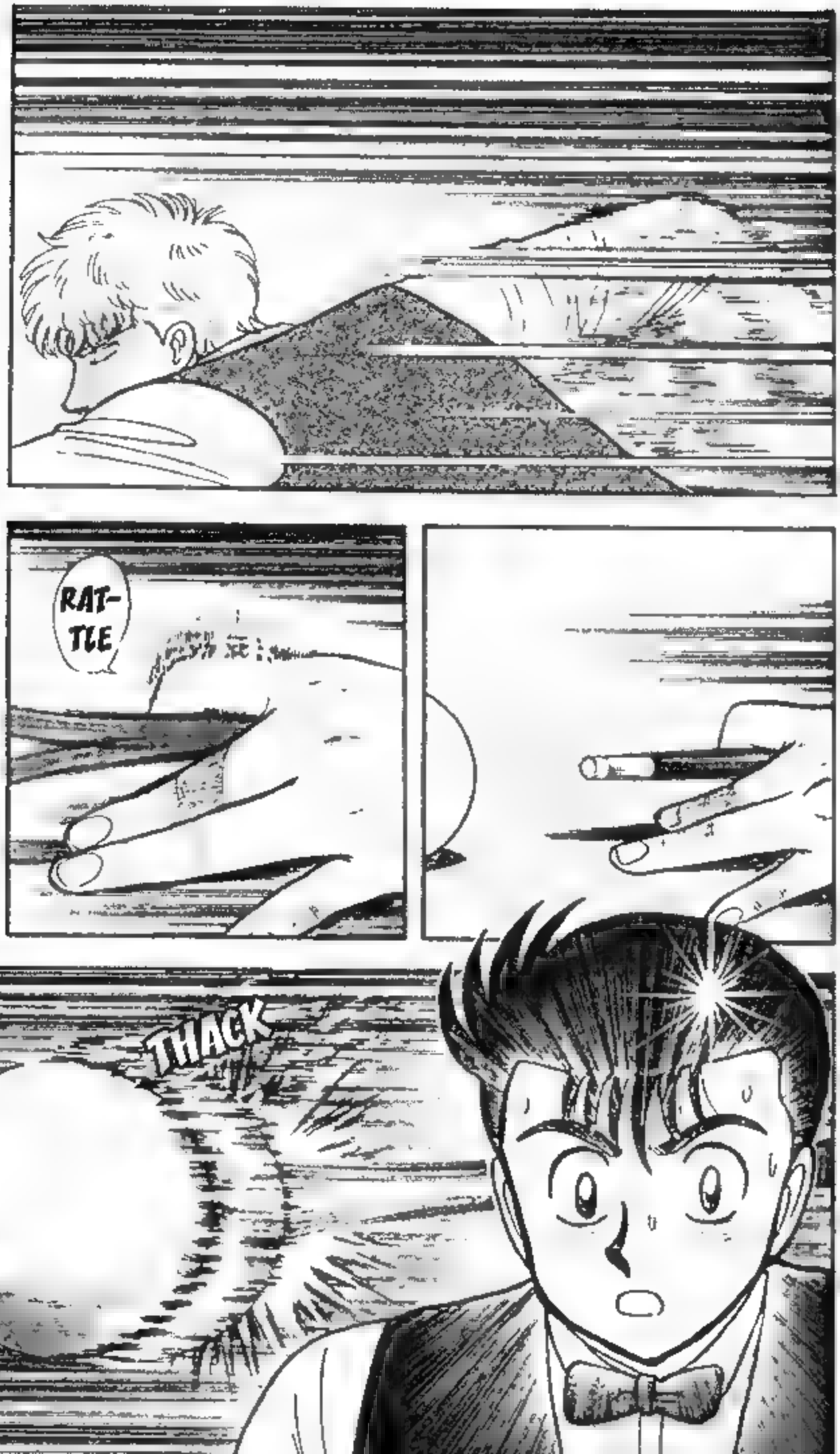
BUT HE'S NOT AIMING AT THE FOURTH BALL
HE'S ALREADY TAKEN AIM
WHERE'S HE AIMING AT?

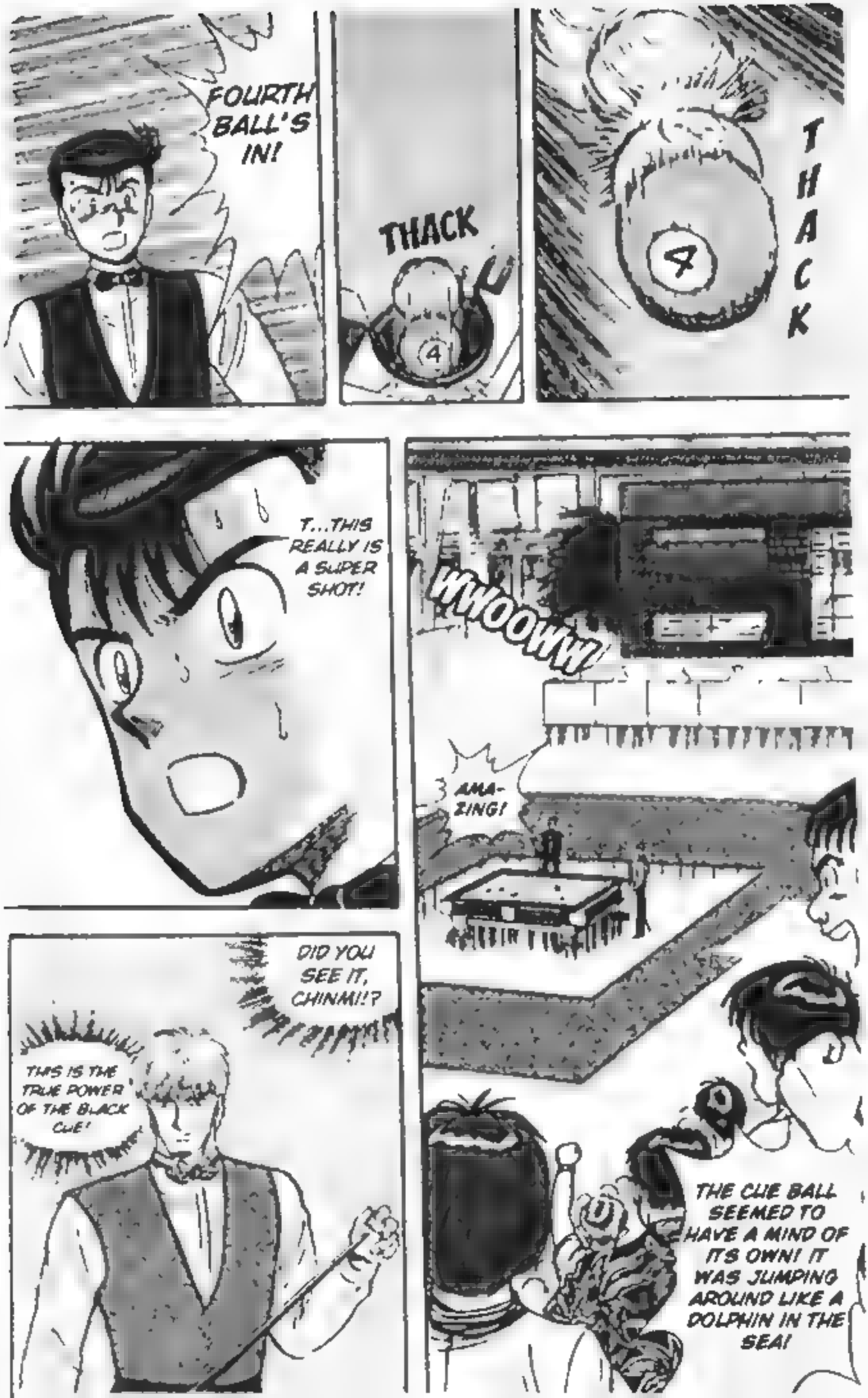

TCHK
TCHK

SHHH...
WHAT KIND OF SHOT IS HE GOING TO USE NOW?


RAT-
TLE
THACK

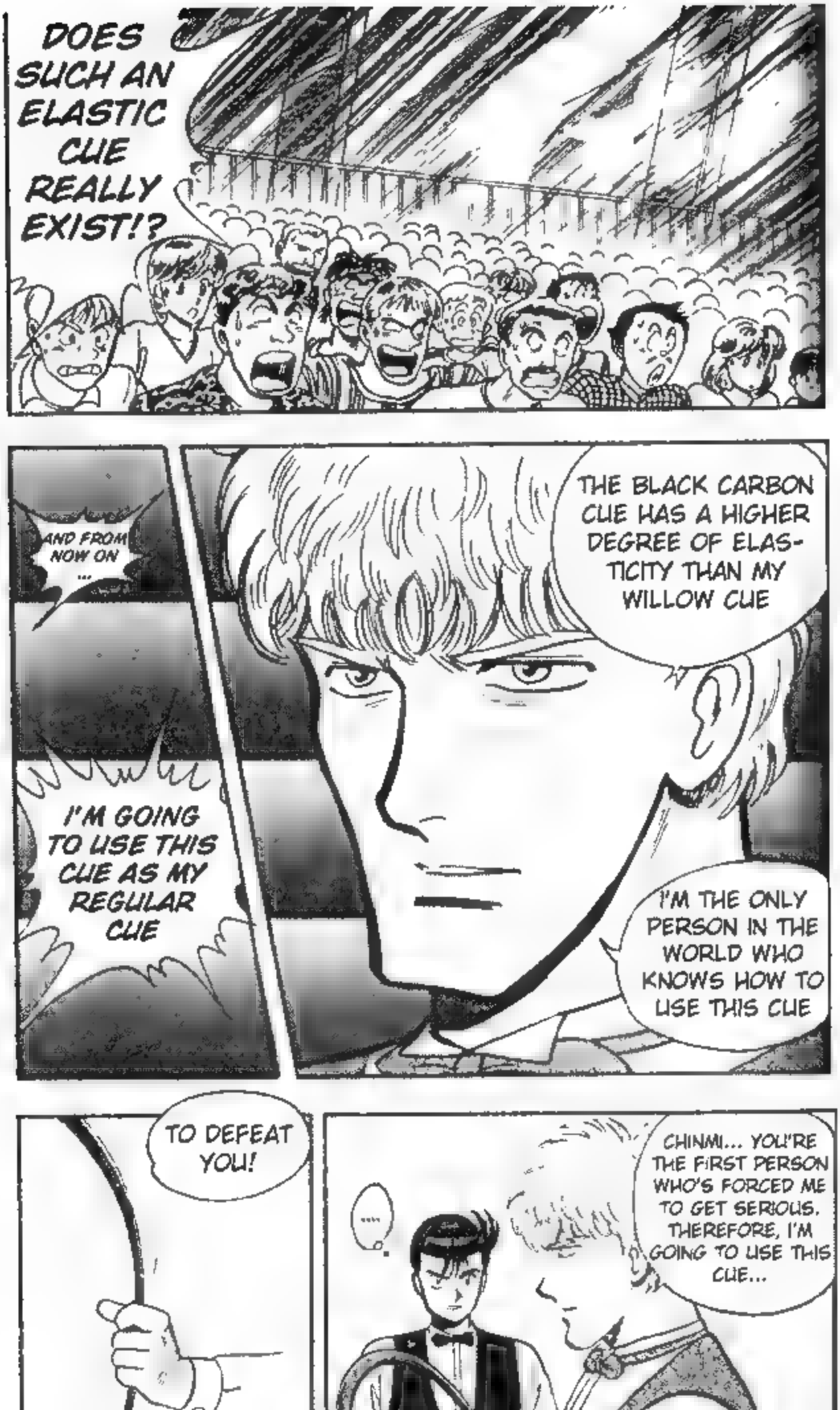
IT'S BEEN HIT!
IT'S FLYING OVER THE PATHS!
IT'S A JUMP BALL!
IT'S ALSO BEGINNING TO SPIN FASTER!
THE BALL CHANGED DIRECTION!
BUMP

THE CUE BALL KEEPS JUMPING OVER THE PATHS WHILE CHANGING DIRECTION!
BUMP
BUMP
BUMP
7
6
4
IT'S NOW HEADING TOWARDS THE FOURTH BALL!


FOURTH BALL'S IN!
THACK
4
THACK
T...THIS REALLY IS A SUPER SHOT!
WWOOWW
AMA-ZING!
DID YOU SEE IT, CHINMI!?
THIS IS THE TRUE POWER OF THE BLACK CUE!
THE CUE BALL SEEMED TO HAVE A MIND OF ITS OWN! IT WAS JUMPING AROUND LIKE A DOLPHIN IN THE SEA!

THAT'S A BLACK CARBON CUE
YES ...
THAT'S BLACK CARBON, ALRIGHT
BLACK CARBON? IT'S A MATERIAL USUALLY MADE INTO A FISHING POLE, RIGHT? I HEARD IT'S VERY ELASTIC AND HAS HIGH DURABILITY
FU .FU
THAT'S WHY THE COLOR IS BLACK! AND THE CUE POINT DOES RATTLE HARDER THAN HIS USUAL CUE IT'S NOT MADE FROM A WILLOW TREE BUT FROM BLACK CARBON!
STRETCH
STRETCH

SSSTTTRRREEECCCHHH!!


DOES SUCH AN ELASTIC CUE REALLY EXIST!?
AND FROM NOW ON ...
I'M GOING TO USE THIS CUE AS MY REGULAR CUE
THE BLACK CARBON CUE HAS A HIGHER DEGREE OF ELASTICITY THAN MY WILLOW CUE
I'M THE ONLY PERSON IN THE WORLD WHO KNOWS HOW TO USE THIS CUE
TO DEFEAT YOU!
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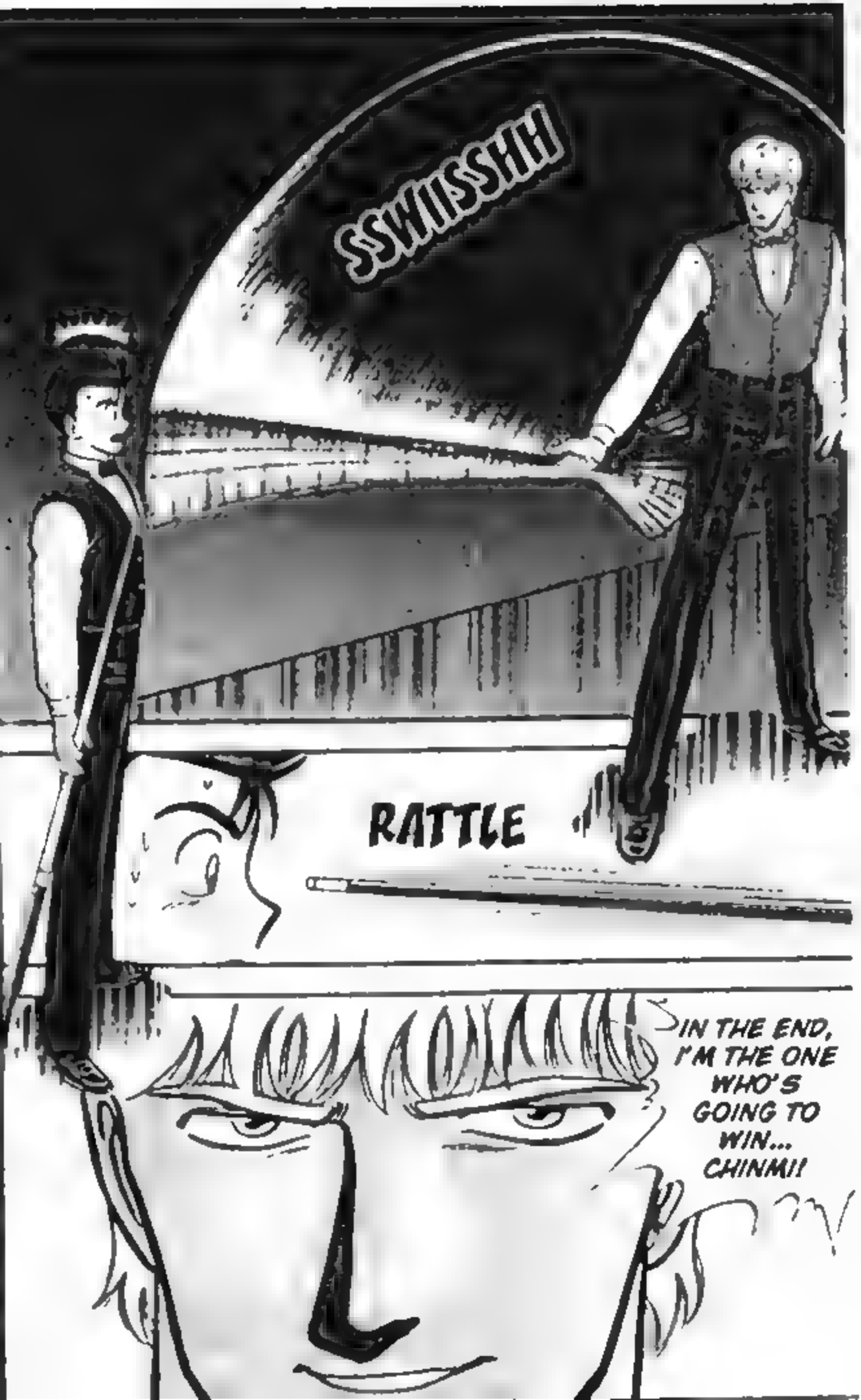
CHINMI... YOU'RE THE FIRST PERSON WHO'S FORCED ME TO GET SERIOUS. THEREFORE, I'M GOING TO USE THIS CUE...


SSWIISSHH
RATTLE
IN THE END, I'M THE ONE WHO'S GOING TO WIN... CHINMI!

UGH! IT'S SO HOT HERE IN HAWAII!
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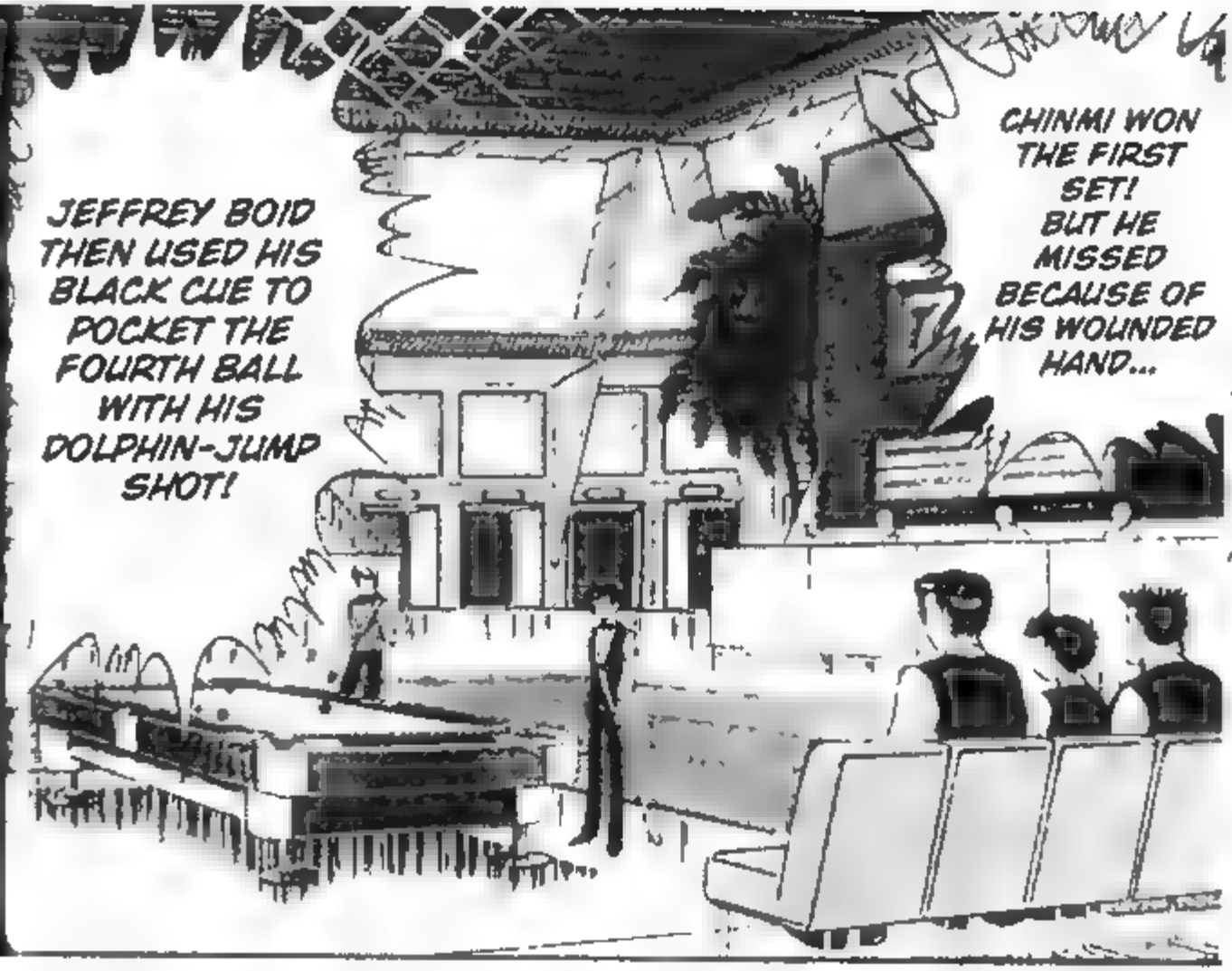
JEFFREY BOID THEN USED HIS BLACK CUE TO POCKET THE FOURTH BALL WITH HIS DOLPHIN-JUMP SHOT!
CHINMI WON THE FIRST SET! BUT HE MISSED BECAUSE OF HIS WOUNDED HAND...

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HE COMBINED IT WITH A MASSE JUMP SHOT TO MAKE THE CUE BALL JUMP OVER THE BLOCKING PATHS AND HIT THE TARGET BALL
THE ELASTIC CUE CAN MAKE THE CUE BALL SPIN VERY FAST

RR-RIP
.....
CHINMI SEEMS TO BE IN GREAT PAIN
I BETTER LEAVE THIS WOUND UNWRAPPED TO LET THE BLOOD DRY
MY FINGER'S BLEEDING AGAIN BECAUSE I USED THE IRON CUE FOR TOO LONG
HE..HE..
CHIN-MI...

HE CAN EASILY CONTROL THE CUE BALL NOW
WITH HIS BLACK CAMERON CUE BIRD SUCCESSFULLY POCKETED THE FOURTH BALL
THACK
A
S
RRRTT
DOL-PHIN-JUMP SHOT!
FIFTH BALL'S IN!
THACK
THACK
S

BLACK CARBON... EH?
BOID'S REALLY CONTROL-LING THIS GAME NOW!
THACK
SEVE-NTH BALL' S IN!
7
BUMP
BUMP
THACK
DON'T BE SO PESSI-MISTIC OLIVE
JUST SIT DOWN. CHINMI MIGHT GET ANOTHER CHANCE YET
I CAN'T STAND TO WATCH THIS!
I'D RATHER GO BACK TO MY ROOM
-IGH
IN JUST A SHORT AMOUNT OF TIME ONLY 2 BALLS ARE LEFT ON THE TABLE
SIT DOWN ...
DON'T GIVE UP SO EASILY
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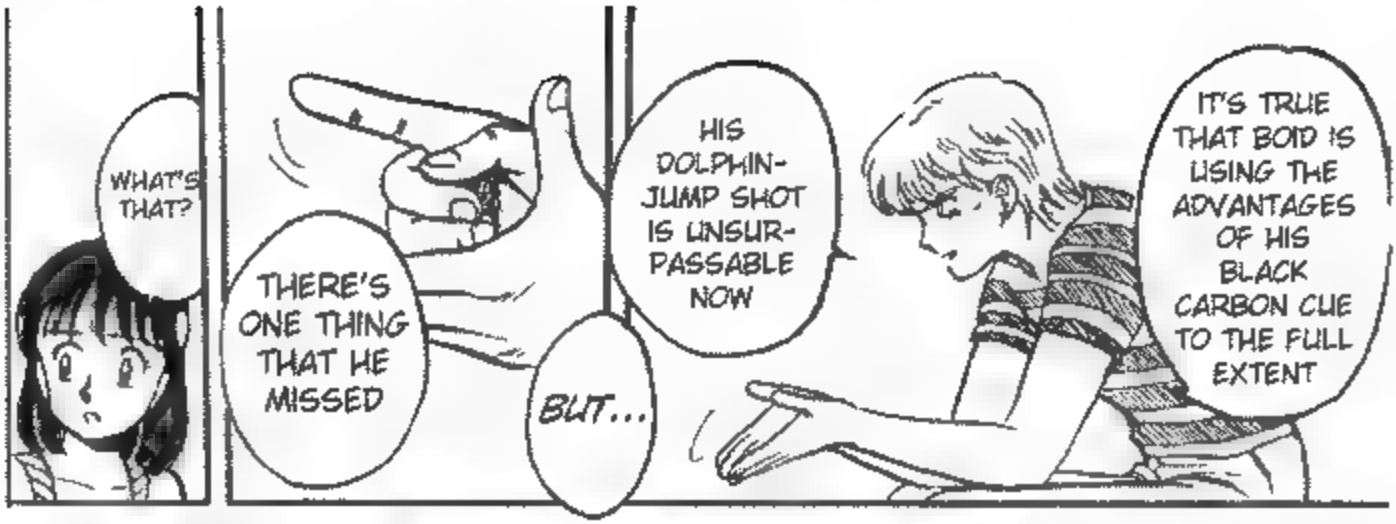
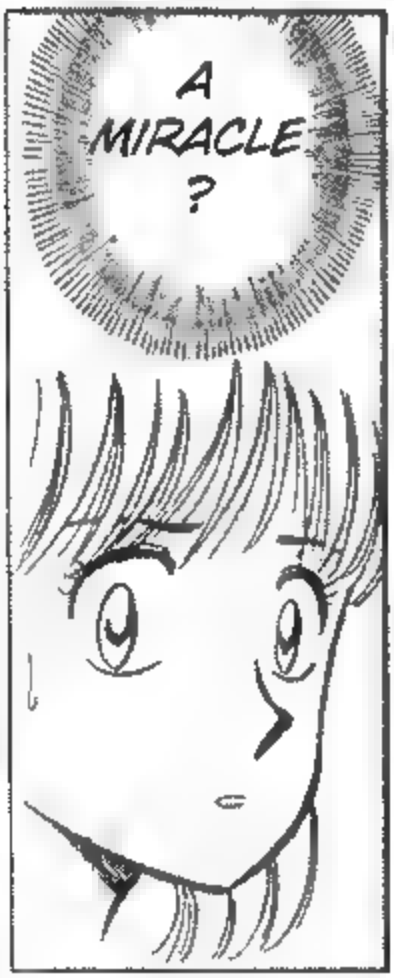
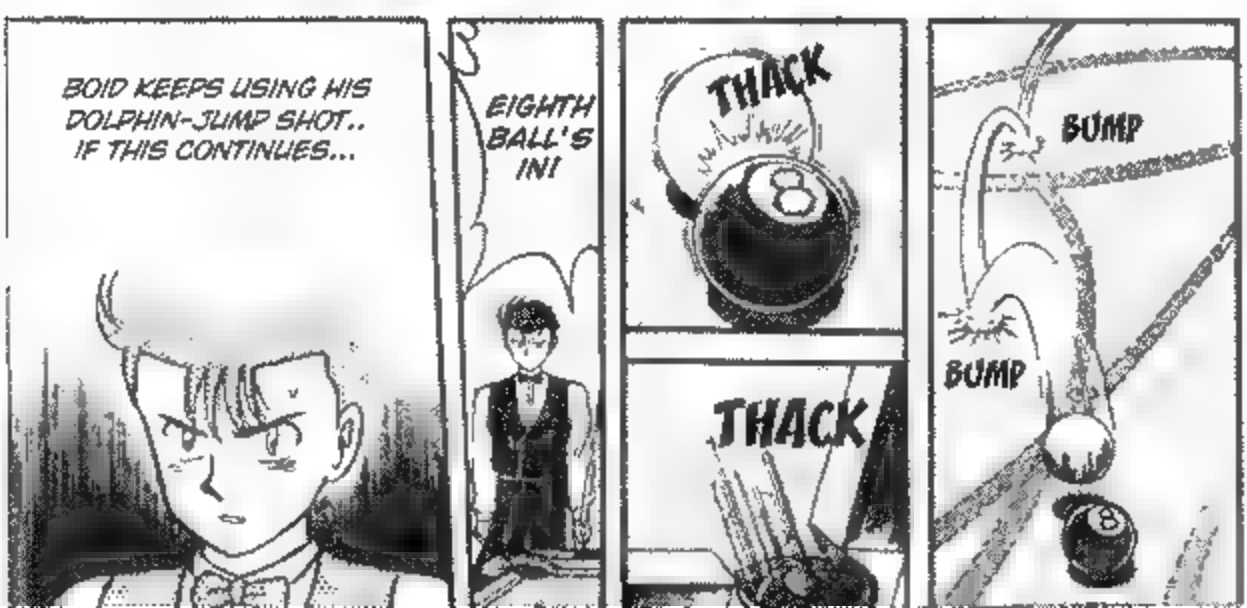
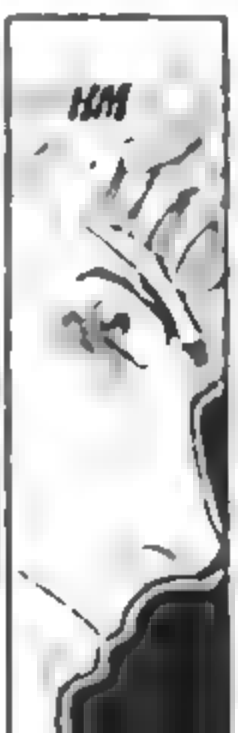

WHAT'S THAT?
THERE'S ONE THING THAT HE MISSED
BUT...
HIS DOLPHIN-JUMP SHOT IS UNSURPASSABLE NOW
IT'S TRUE THAT BOID IS USING THE ADVANTAGES OF HIS BLACK CARBON CUE TO THE FULL EXTENT


A MIRACLE ?

I THINK A MIRACLE IS GOING TO HAPPEN AT ANY MINUTE NOW
WE BETTER WATCH THIS GAME NOW
NEVER-MIND


BOID KEEPS USING HIS DOLPHIN-JUMP SHOT.. IF THIS CONTINUES...
EIGHTH BALL'S IN!
THACK
THACK
BUMP
BUMP

BOID'S TAKEN AIM!
IF HE CAN POCKET THIS, THEN IT WILL BE A TIE!
ONLY THE NINTH BALL'S LEFT!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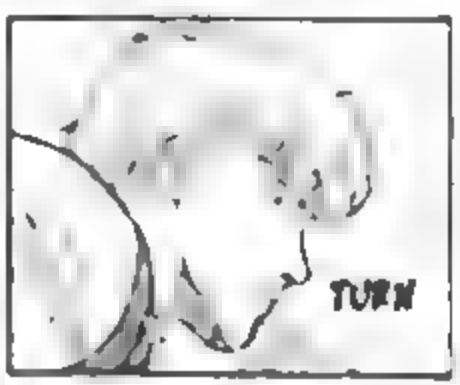
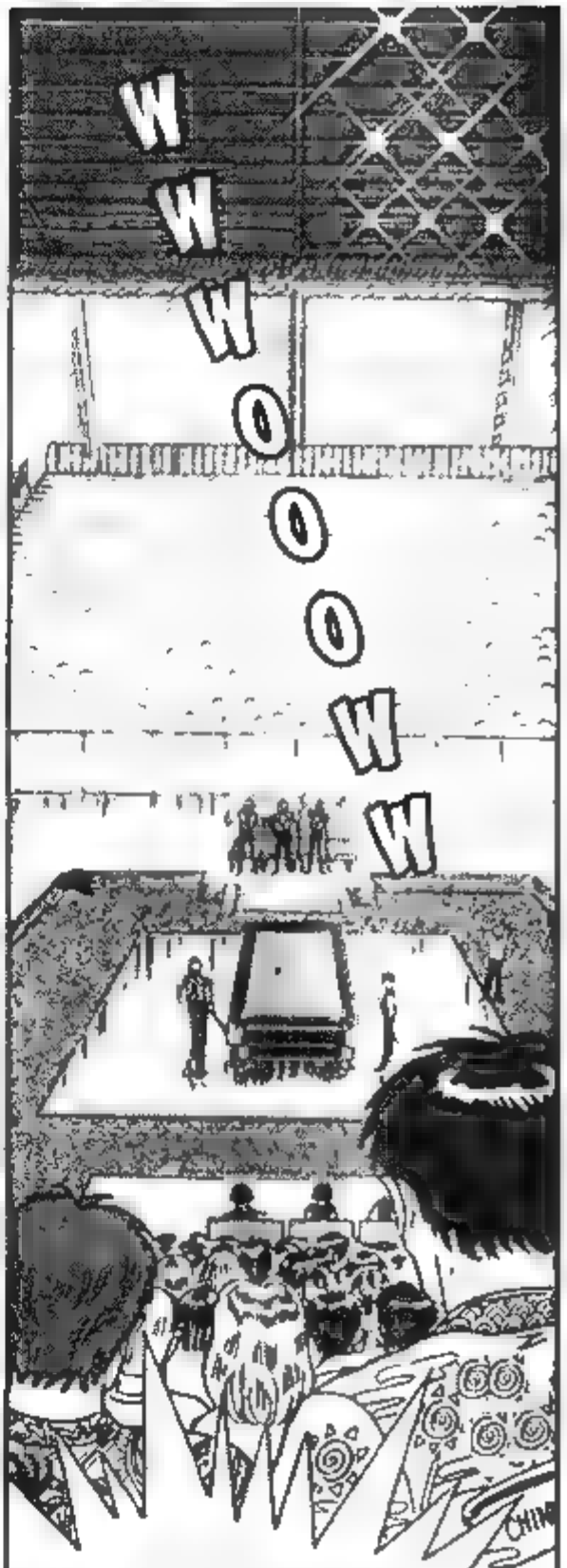
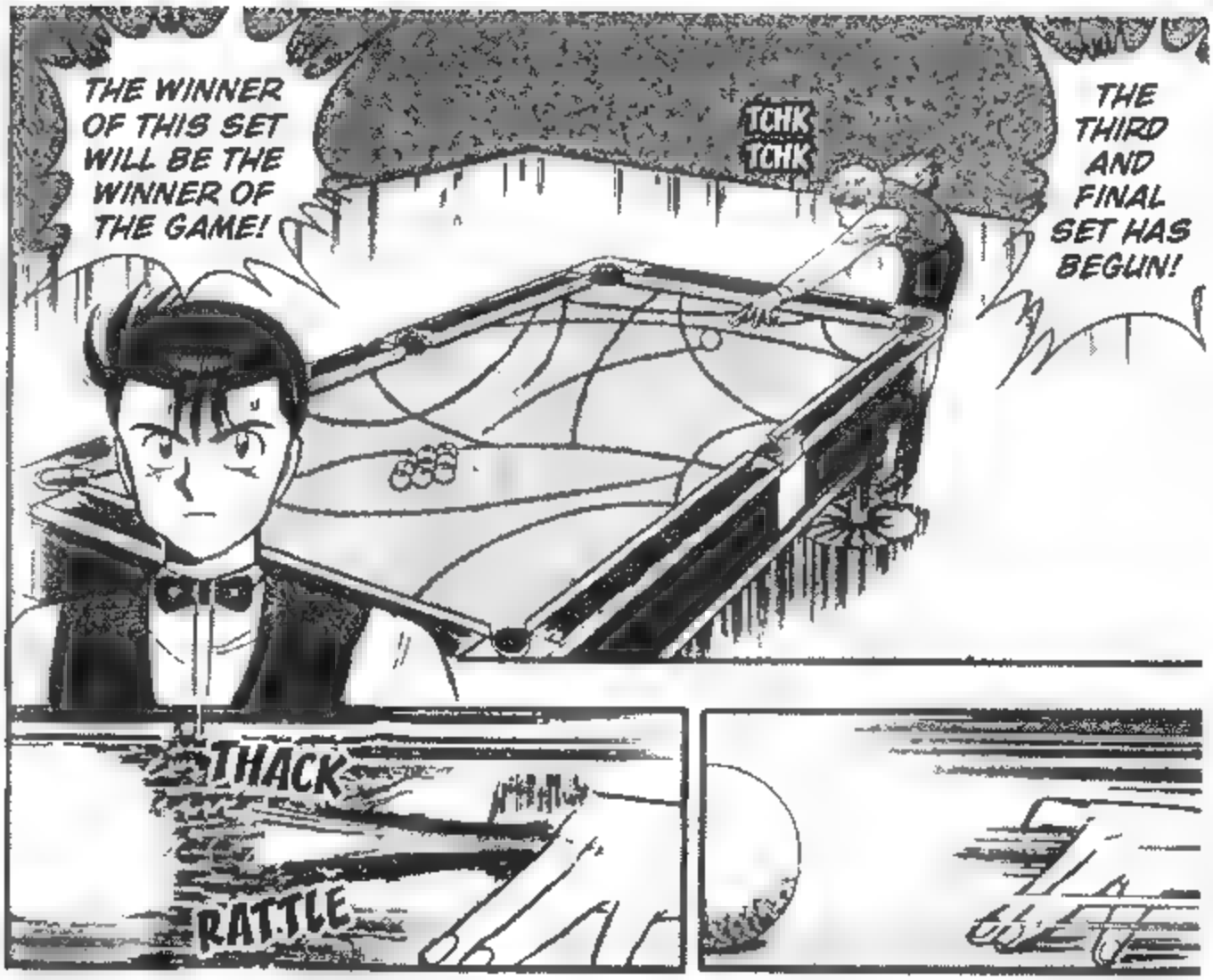

TURN

BUMP
BUMP
THWACK
THACK
9
THACK
9
THACK

CHINMI'S WOUNDED HAND HAS MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO EVEN THE SCORE
WITH HIS BLACK CARBON CUE, BOID NEVER STOPS ATTACKING WITH HIS DOPLHIN-JUMP SHOT!



BOID'S EASILY POCKETED THAT BALL! THIS SECOND SET WAS WON BY JEFFREY BOID! THE SCORE IS A 1-1 TIE NOW!


THE WINNER OF THIS SET WILL BE THE WINNER OF THE GAME!
TCHK TCHK
THE THIRD AND FINAL SET HAS BEGUN!
THACK
RATTLE

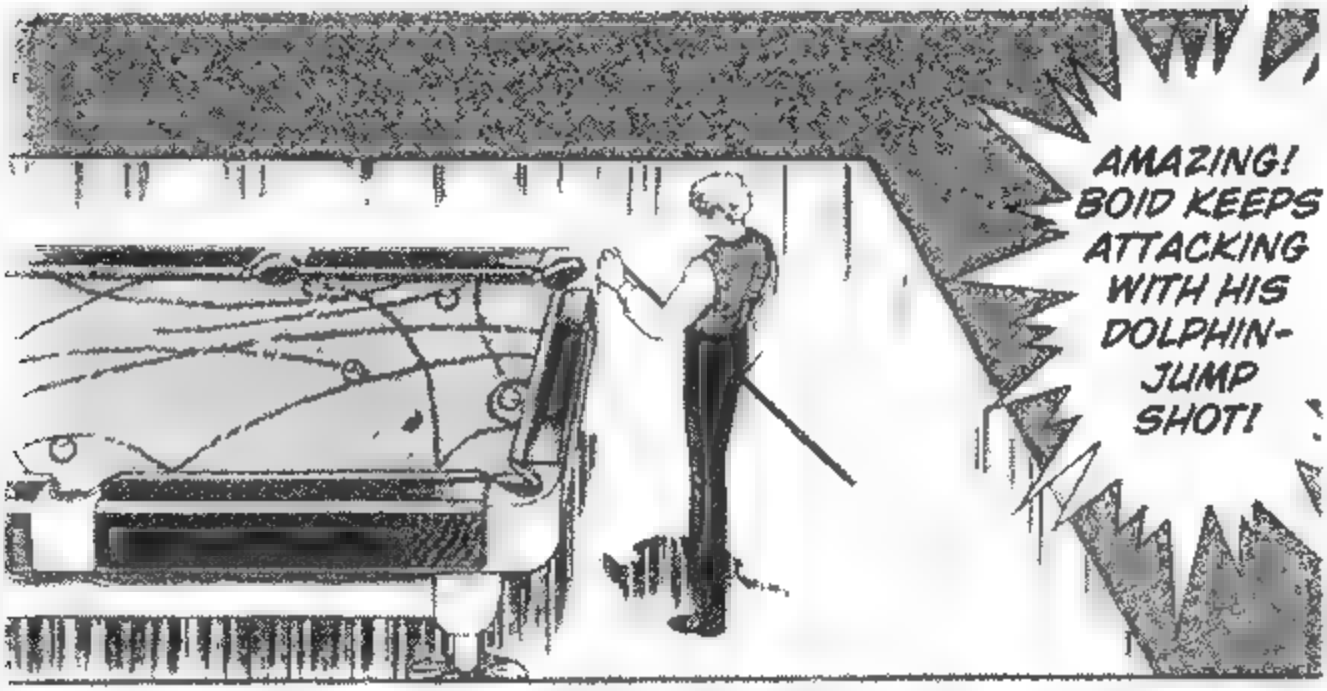
SHATTER

IT'S DOPLHIN-JUMP SHOT AGAIN!
1
5
9
4
3

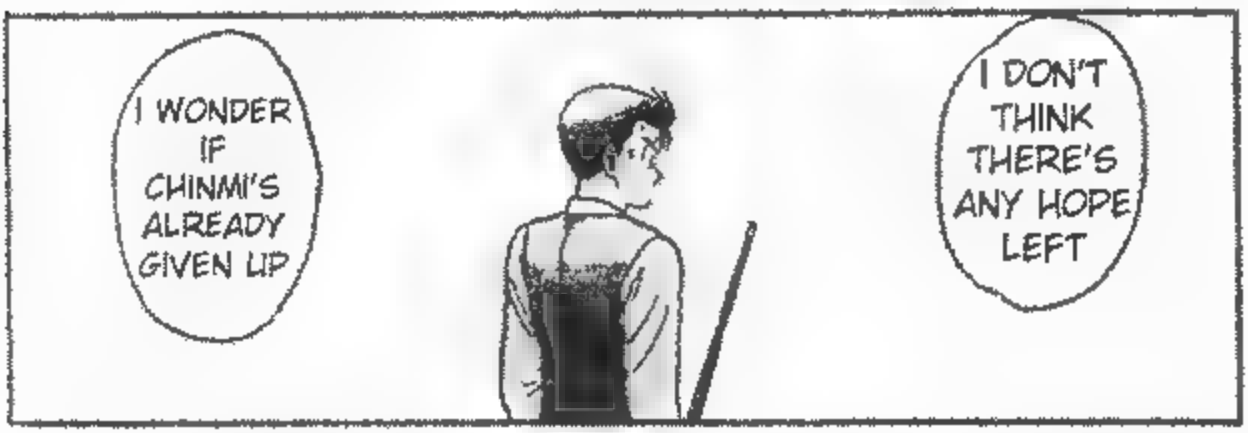
THIRD BALL'S IN!

THACK
3

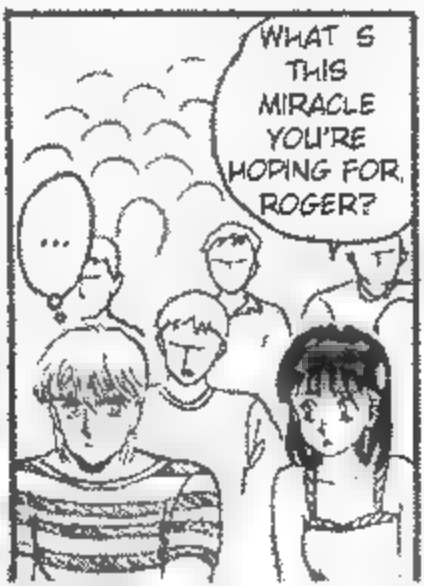
BOID KEEPS USING HIS DOLPHIN-JUMP SHOT TO JUMP OVER THEM!
THE PATHS THAT CHINMI MADE ARE NOW USELESS!
FIRST BALL'S IN!
THACK
EVEN IF HE DID, WITH MY WOUNDED HANDS, I DON'T THINK I CAN ENDURE MUCH MORE
I CAN'T EXPECT BOID TO MAKE ANY MISTAKES NOW
THACK
SECOND BALL'S IN!


AMAZING! BOID KEEPS ATTACKING WITH HIS DOLPHIN-JUMP SHOT!

AND THIS IS THE FINAL SET!
HE KEEPS ON ATTACK-ING.. IT FEELS LIKE WE'RE FACED WITH HUGE BLACK WAVES
HE NEVER LOSES ANY CON-CENTRA-TION


I WONDER IF CHINMI'S ALREADY GIVEN UP
I DON'T THINK THERE'S ANY HOPE LEFT

ELEC-TRICITY


WHAT'S THIS MIRACLE YOU'RE HOPING FOR, ROGER?
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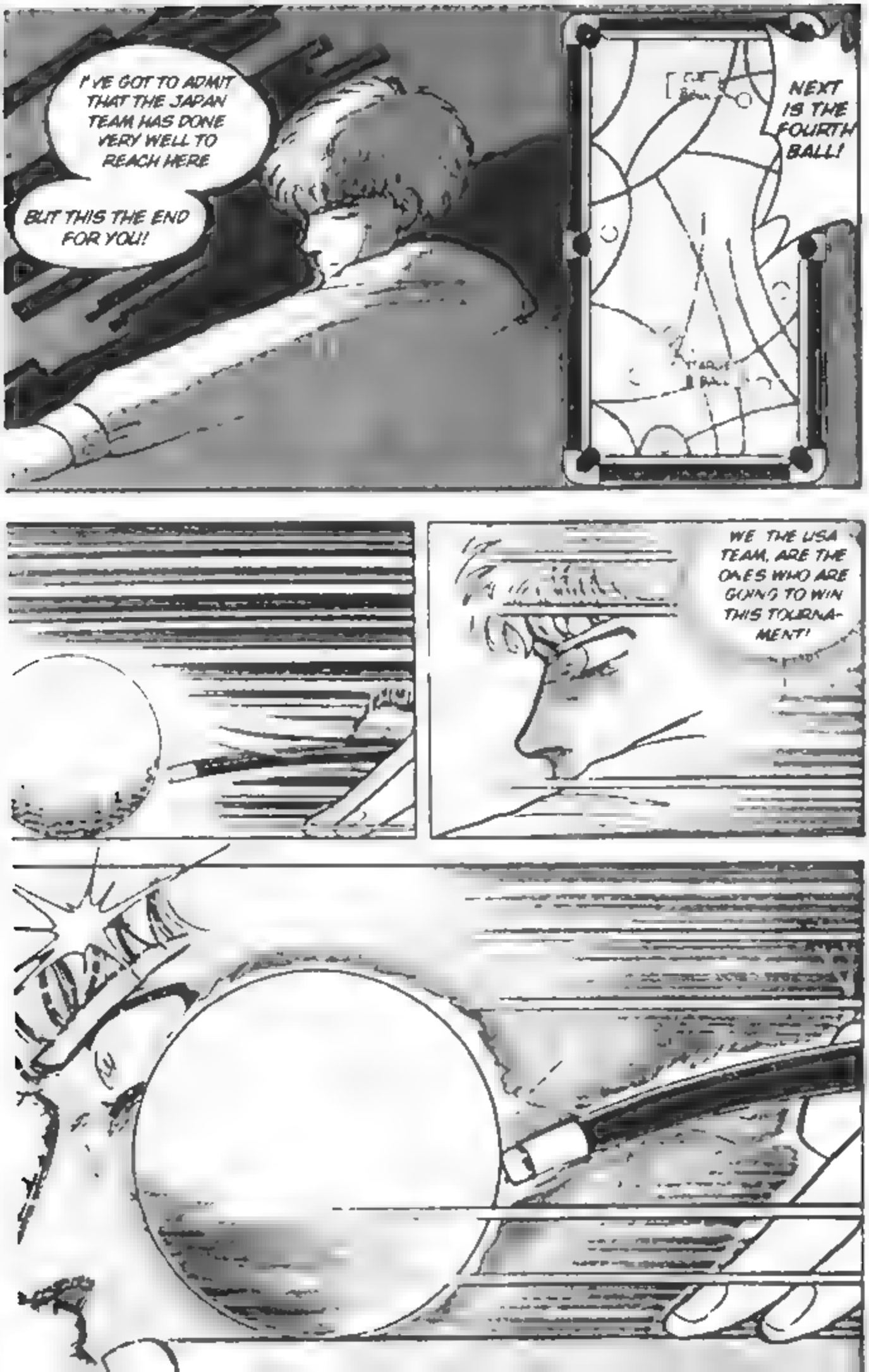
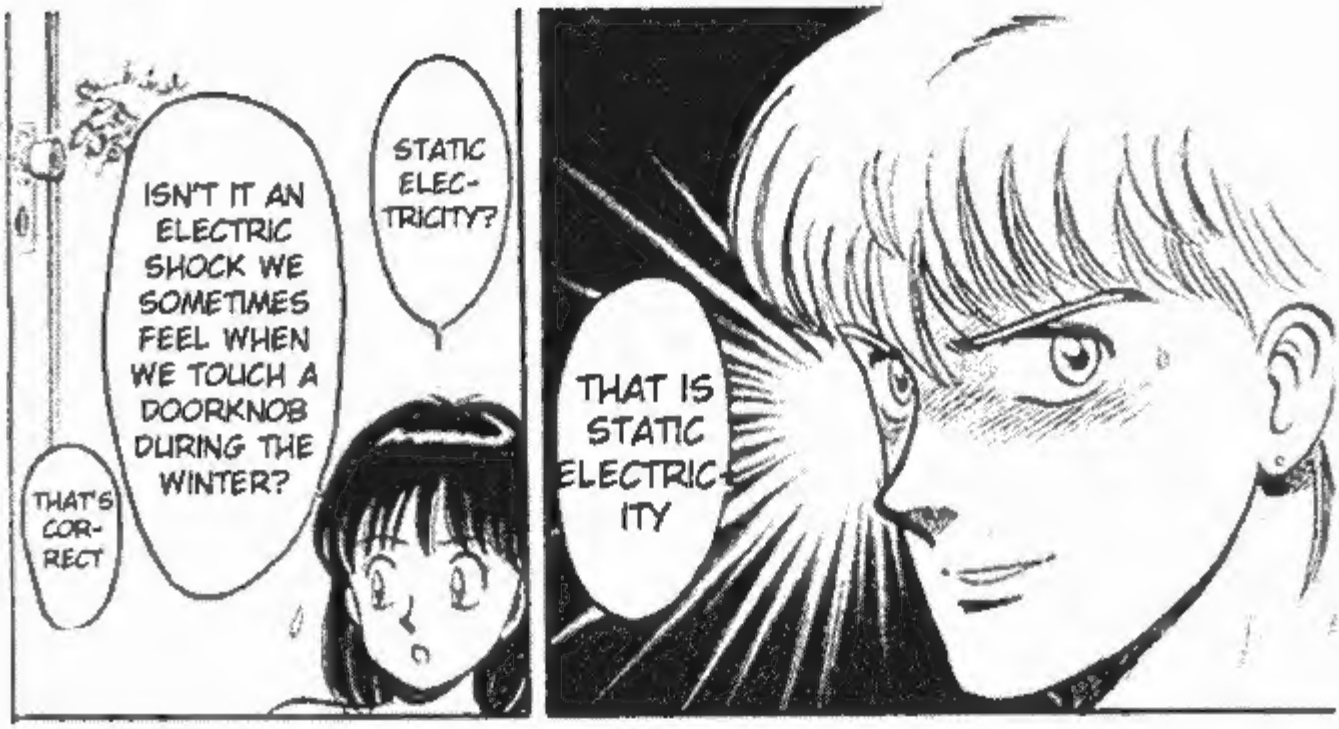
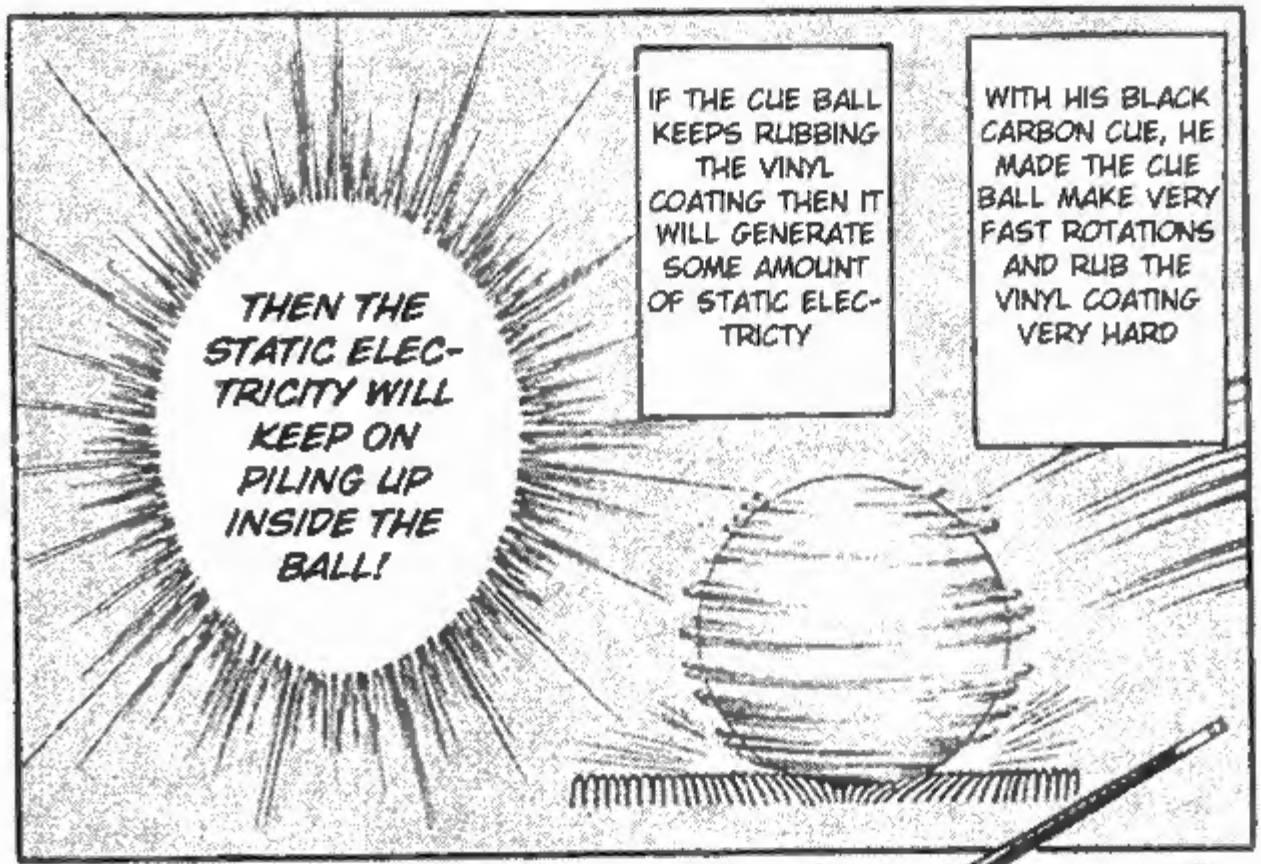
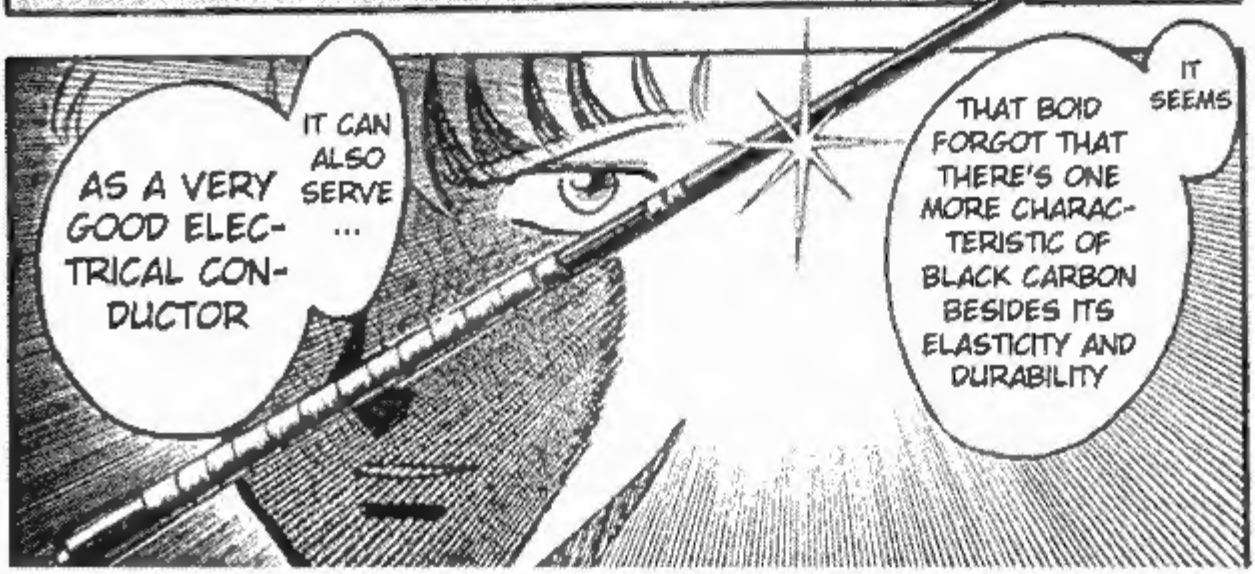

I'VE GOT TO ADMIT THAT THE JAPAN TEAM HAS DONE VERY WELL TO REACH HERE
BUT THIS THE END FOR YOU!!
NEXT IS THE FOURTH BALL!
WE THE USA TEAM, ARE THE ONES WHO ARE GOING TO WIN THIS TOURNA-MENT!

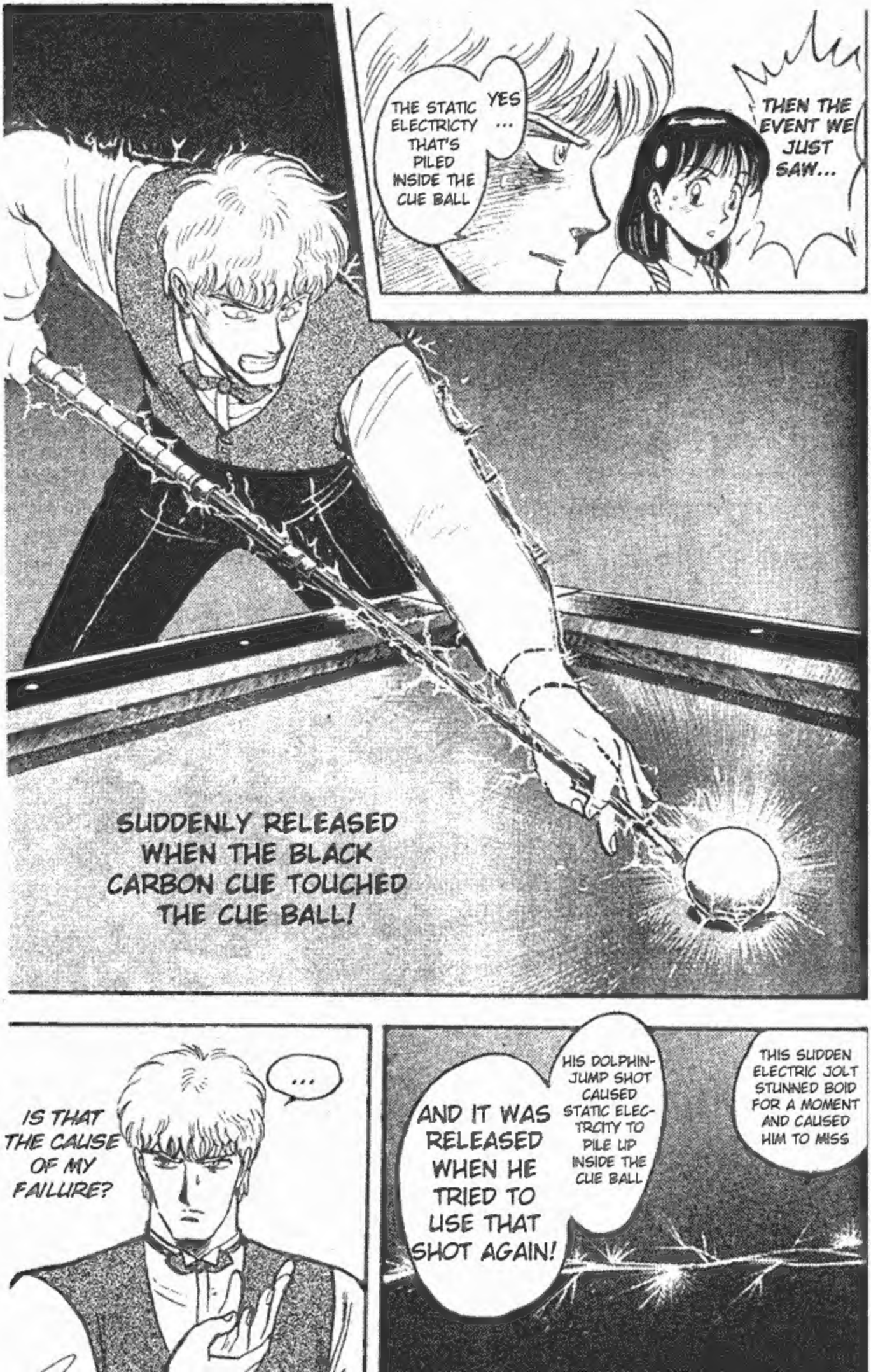
AAHH!
CLATTER
CLATTER
CLATTER

BOID'S LOST HIS TURN!
WHAT HAPPENED!? WHY DID HE SUDDENLY RELEASE HIS CUE?!
WHAT WAS THAT SHOCK I FELT JUST NOW?
ROGER WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?
YES!
THE MIRACLE HAS COME AT LAST!
BUT WHAT IS THIS MIRACLE?


ISN'T IT AN ELECTRIC SHOCK WE SOMETIMES FEEL WHEN WE TOUCH A DOORKNOB DURING THE WINTER?
STATIC ELEC-TRICITY?
THAT'S COR-RECT
THAT IS STATIC ELECTRIC-ITY


THEN THE STATIC ELEC-TRICITY WILL KEEP ON PILING UP INSIDE THE BALL!
IF THE CUE BALL KEEPS RUBBING THE VINYL COATING THEN IT WILL GENERATE SOME AMOUNT OF STATIC ELEC-TRICTY
WITH HIS BLACK CARBON CUE, HE MADE THE CUE BALL MAKE VERY FAST ROTATIONS AND RUB THE VINYL COATING VERY HARD


AS A VERY GOOD ELEC-TRICAL CON-DUCTOR
IT CAN ALSO SERVE ...
THAT BOID FORGOT THAT THERE'S ONE MORE CHARAC-TERISTIC OF BLACK CARBON BESIDES ITS ELASTICITY AND DURABILITY
IT SEEMS


THEN THE EVENT WE JUST SAW...
YES ...
THE STATIC ELECTRICTY THAT'S PILED INSIDE THE CUE BALL
SUDDENLY RELEASED WHEN THE BLACK CARBON CUE TOUCHED THE CUE BALL!
THIS SUDDEN ELECTRIC JOLT STUNNED BOID FOR A MOMENT AND CAUSED HIM TO MISS
HIS DOLPHIN-JUMP SHOT CAUSED STATIC ELEC-TRCITY TO PILE UP INSIDE THE CUE BALL
AND IT WAS RELEASED WHEN HE TRIED TO USE THAT SHOT AGAIN!
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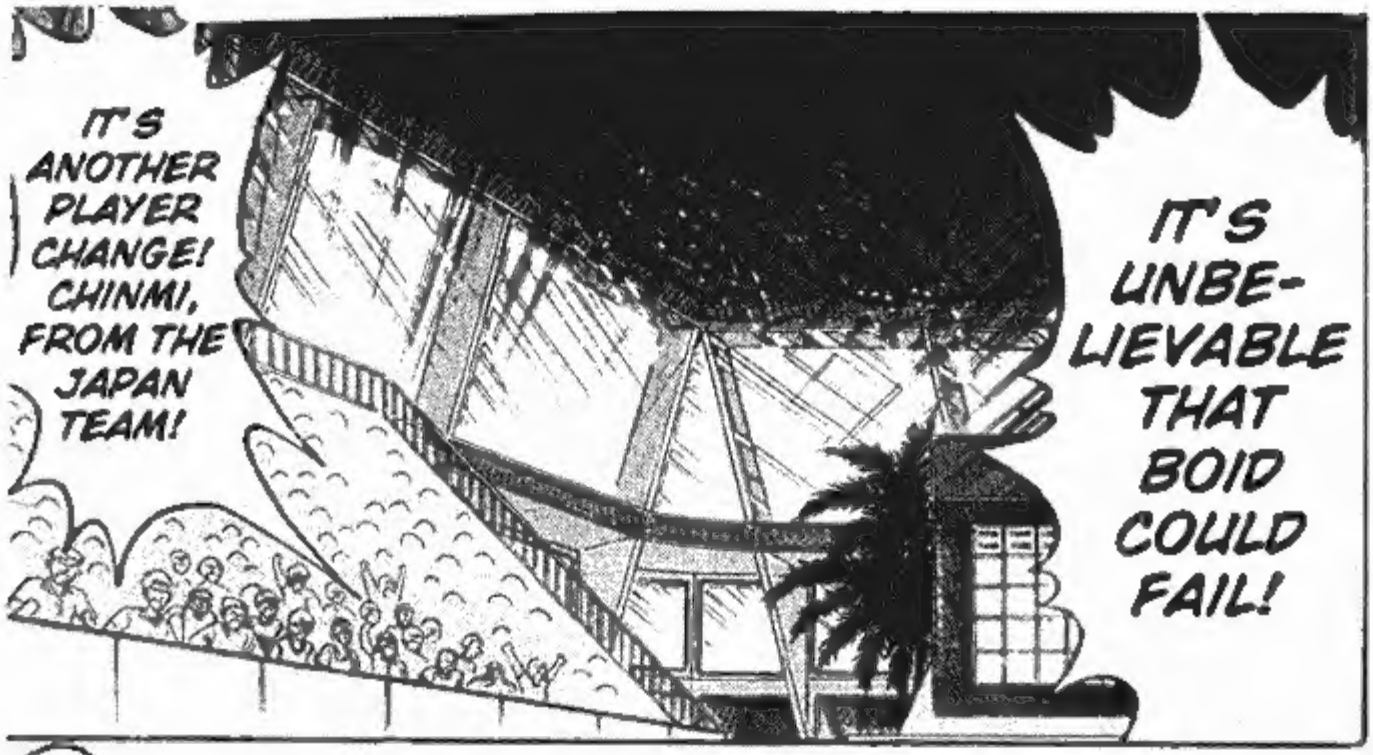
IS THAT THE CAUSE OF MY FAILURE?



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